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Tri-Town Tweens Can Cheer Too

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

The first Old Rochester Regional football game, scheduled for September 11, will have a whole lot of Bulldogs enthusiasts on the sidelines. Thanks to three weeks' worth of Bulldog "clinics," these young fans are getting ready to cheer on their favorite team with a little help from the varsity cheerleaders.

In its second year, the Bulldog Clinic is a fundraiser organized by varsity cheerleading coach Lynn Monger. The Clinic is a chance for younger students to learn some cheerleading routines, sideline cheers and jumps. Besides being a fundraiser for the Booster Club, which in turn buys uniforms and covers related expenses for the varsity cheerleaders, Ms. Monger thinks that the Clinic is a great opportunity to foster team spirit and cheering interest in a younger crowd.

The Clinic, which was open to students seven to 13, operated for three Sundays in August and September and will culminate at the September 11 game against Nauset, when the younger participants will join the varsity cheerleaders in their routines.

"It's very intimidating when they get out on the football field," said Ms. Monger. "They might get a little stage fright." For this reason, they are mixed in with the older, more experienced cheerleaders. "They love it. The little ones look up to the older ones."

Ms. Monger said that the varsity cheerleaders are required to participate in the program as a way to raise funds for their own squad, but she said they love being a part of the Clinic even if it is a requirement.

Last year's Clinic had a better turn-out than this year's program, but Ms. Monger hopes that a second Clinic before the basketball season starts might be even



Above & On the Cover: Catch the spirit! It was some tween fun at Old Rochester Regional High School on Sunday, September 5, 2010 when the school's varsity cheerleaders provided a cheer clinic fundraiser for young, aspiring cheerleaders. These younger cheerleaders will join the varsity squad at the ORR/Nauset football game on September 11, at the ORR David Hagen field at 7:00 pm. For more sports and ORR information, read the articles in this week's issue from ORR students Anne Smith and Ben Resendes. Photos by Felix Perez.

more successful since she will be able to distribute news of the program at the school level. She said the schools have been cooperative in the past in supporting the Bulldog Clinic.

Come cheer on your football team at ORR's David Hagen field for the first football game of the year. The game is scheduled for September 11 at 7:00 pm – bring your school colors and bug spray!

Hurricane Earl Passes Without Incident

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

The Mattapoisett town wharf was the scene of frenzied activity on Thursday and Friday of last week as residents made preparations in the face of a hurricane warning. The town closed the wharf to vehicular traffic, making exceptions only for boat trailers. Interested onlookers sat at the gazebo and Shipyard Park, as anxious boat-owners and Brownell trucks removed boat after boat, long after sunset. Likewise, it was a similar scene in Marion, where the harbormaster's boat weaved busily among the many boats being prepared for removal.

Area businesses and seaside residences even boarded up late Friday afternoon, only hours before the hurricane was supposed to hit. The National Weather Service, the meteorological arm of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), had predicted that the category 3 Hurricane Earl would pass over Cape Cod, the Islands, and parts of the South Coast. NOAA issued a Hurricane Warning on Thursday, September 2, prompting area schools like the Old Rochester Regional School District to close early on Friday.

As a category 3 hurricane, Earl was a serious

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threat, and reminded some of the older residents of the destruction left behind by previous category 3 hurricanes: namely, Hurricane Carol of 1954 and the Hurricane of 1938. Both of these legendary storms devastated parts of the Massachusetts coastline.

Tri-Town residents hunkered down Friday evening, waiting for the heavy rains and wind to begin. They waited and they waited – but nothing really happened. Moderate rains did briefly pass through the region, but strong winds were absent, and the storm, which was downgraded to a tropical storm by late Friday evening, left the SouthCoast unscathed. Tri-Town residents woke up to idyllic conditions with blue skies and a cool, fall wind on Saturday – it would seem that Hurricane Earl brought a taste of autumn, and nothing else.

According to the National Weather Service, the hurricane weakened to a category 1 over the course of the day on Friday, September 3, and took a turn east, which spared Massachusetts landfall.

NOAA warned that this year had a 90 percent chance of being an above-average year for hurricane activity. At this time, the Atlantic is being monitored by NOAA's National Hurricane Center for developing tropical storms and hurricanes. For more information on developing storm systems in the Atlantic, visit www.nhc.noaa.gov.

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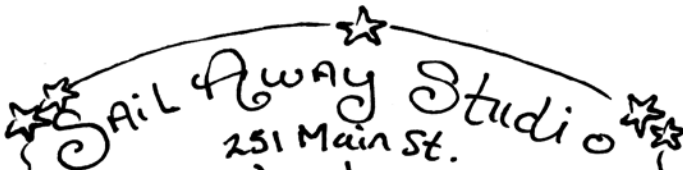


Gala Hopes for Ticket Sale Boost

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

The Buzzard's Bay Habitat for Humanity (BBHFH) Raise the Roof Gala, scheduled for September 17, is promising to be a really fun time for everyone who attends. There will be a live auction with a professional auctioneer, a silent auction, a full bar, lots of conversation and fun, and the whole event will be lead by Marion actor and personality Paul Kandarian. So why haven't you purchased a ticket yet?

The annual event is one of the major fundraisers for BBHFH, who works with a band of local (including Tri-Town) volunteers to provide affordable housing for those who need it. But this year, ticket sales to the gala


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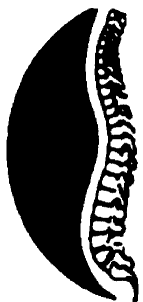
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are slumping and the organizer, Susan Paladino, wants to make sure that everyone knows how fun and important this event is.

The annual gala will undergo a few changes this year. In the past, the gala has been called an Octoberfest, but since the event is in September and doesn't follow the parameters of a classic "Octoberfest," BBHFH has changed the name to "Raise the Roof," a pun reflecting the fun you will have when you attend, and the affordable housing you will provide when you participate.

One of the centerpieces to the event will be a smaller-scale "house" created by Bill Norris. The house will feature cards showing the various costs involved in building a Habitat home, "from doorknob to roof." For this reason, Ms. Paladino thinks that, besides being a good time for a good cause, the Gala will be an educational experience so people can learn about all the components that go into building a Habitat home.

BBHFH is a non-denominational Christian organization that works with community members to provide affordable housing to families, who in turn pay manageable mortgages and provide "sweat equity." According to the BBHFH website, "Habitat is not a give away program, but a joint venture in which those who benefit are involved in the work at every level. Families pay for their homes through a low cost, no interest mortgage and that money is then reinvested in future Habitat homes for more families in need."

The live auctioneer at the Gala will be a source of entertainment, promised Ms. Paladino. "It's fun to go watch an auctioneer at work," she said. "It's not just coming to bid. It's entertainment."

Items up for auction at this year's event include a Hot Tub Dinner Party from the Marion Ladies Poker Club, custom-designed handbags, vacation timeshares,



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Tickets to the Gala can be obtained by calling the BBHFH office at 508-758-4517, or by visiting www.BuzzardsBayHabitat.org.

Sippican Choral Group Seeks Members

By Laura Pedulli

Entering its 45th year, the Sippican Choral Society is gearing up for another season of fabulous performances. The group currently is seeking enthusiastic singers for its 2010 Holiday Concert, "Christmas Around the World." Singers of all ages are welcome as the choral group includes members ranging from high school age to 70 and 80 year olds.

"We have a different theme every year," explained Deborah Osuch, Vice President of the society's board. "Last year we had 98 members sing in the Christmas concert, and last spring we had 70 singers," she said.

The Sippican Choral Society began sometime in 1964 when a group of church signers wanted to create a larger unified organization. Approximately 10-15 people approached John Pandolfi of the Tri-County Symphonic

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Band, who allowed the group to sing with the band provided that they formally organize. In December 1965, the group performed with Pandolfi's symphonic band as the Regional Civic Chorus in Bristol Auditorium at Old Rochester Regional High School.

It wasn't until 1972 that the group renamed itself the Sippican Choral Society. Since that time, the group typically performs two concerts per year – the spring and Christmas concerts. Overall, more than 5,000 singers from the Southcoast have participated in about 130 concerts since the society's inception.

According to Ms. Osuch, those interested in joining the choral group's decades-old holiday concert tradition should contact her at osuch1@aol.com. "Basically



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they need to blend with the section and hold the pitch. Reading music is very helpful but not required," Ms. Osuch said. The singers will perform under the guidance of Director Brian Roderick, who has led the group since 2003. Mr. Roderick also serves as Director of Music and Organist at Grace Episcopal Church in New Bedford.

Rehearsals for the society's Christmas show will begin on Monday, September 13 at 7:30pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Reynaud Hall and are held each Monday through September 27 when official preparations will begin. The Christmas concert performances currently are scheduled for December 3 and December 5. For more information, visit www.sippicanchoral.org.

School Committee Digest

•Marion

Committee Addresses Lunch Budget

By Laura Pedulli

A regular meeting of the Marion School Committee was called to order by Chairperson Jane McCarthy on September 1 at 6:30 pm in the Marion Town Hall. Also present were committee members Brad Gordon, Jay Pateakos and Joseph Scott. Christine Winters did not attend.

Ms. McCarthy began the first meeting of the school year by introducing committee members and administrators. She immediately turned the floor to Mr.

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Murphy, who presented a facility and energy audit report detailing a potential new energy portfolio management system and possible capital improvements to reduce Sippican's energy costs. "These energy conservation measures are designed to look at long-term changes. The yearly savings are hard numbers," explained Mr. Murphy.

Mr. Murphy specifically recommended the implementation of a new HVAC direct digital control and building automation system that tightly controls a building's mechanical and electrical systems so they are used only when required. For instance, he said the building does not need the hot water boiler continually running and that can be programmed to turn off when the building is not in use. The total cost to implement the

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"Thank you for taking the time to do this. We are interested in the issue of energy conservation. It is one of our goals. You've established measures to meet our goals and a roadmap to achieve savings," Mr. Gordon said. Ms. McCarthy remarked, "If we get that \$50,000 savings per year, that's a teacher."

Mr. White also reported that two positions remain open in the district: an accountant for the business administrator's office and Director of Curriculum and Instruction. Marcia Kessler resigned from the latter position and recently took a job at Old Colony. "We wish her the best," he said.

In efforts to implement new practices in response to the new state anti-bullying law created last May, Director of Student Services Teresa Hamm said the district established a task force. Among other topics, she said the task force is studying how children conduct themselves and will establish educational initiatives to help parents and children identify and respond to bullying.

Superintendent Douglas White then announced that Massachusetts was selected to receive Race To The Top funding. Overall, he said the state will receive \$204 million and the district will receive \$28,000 for personnel this year or in fiscal year 2012.

In the principal's report, Lyn Rivet introduced

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Sarah Goerges, who was present at the meeting, as the new part-time Assistant Principal. Ms. Goerges also serves as a part-time Kindergarten teacher. Overall, she said the teachers kept busy attending numerous professional development conferences throughout the summer.

The topic then arose about the unusually high class sizes of the two sixth grades, each with 28 students. As a parent of a sixth grader, Mr. Gordon said, "It is posing significant concerns. I'm a conduit for parents expressing themselves, so there is concern for the awfully big classes, among the largest classes in the school's history."

Ms. Rivet responded that the administration is investigating different scenarios, including use of teaching

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assistants and splitting the classes into smaller groups for important subject areas. "I'd like to assure parents we are working on it and we will let them know the resolution," she said.

Food director Suzanne Souza then delivered a presentation on Sippican School's revamped food services. She said the students responded favorably to a healthier menu that day, which included whole grain items, fresh carrots and apples and wraps, which were a "big hit." She said NutriKids is being rolled out throughout the district and is planning to notify parents that they can set limits on their children's food purchases online.

School Business Administrator Kathryn Isernio then presented two financial reports, one detailing expenditures for the last fiscal year and the other for July and August of the new fiscal year. According to her data, the balance remaining from last fiscal year is \$48,356 for the regular day budget and \$88,995.96 for the special education budget. Ms. Isernio said she anticipates that next year's actual spending will come closer to budget figures. She noted that the food service ran at a \$12,000 deficit, which is reflective of an increase in labor costs and decrease in number of lunches served.

In addition, the board approved an agreement allowing Rochester Project Grow to use a classroom at Sippican for the charge of \$6,300. A discussion on the approximate \$22,000 loss in rental accounts ensued with



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Mr. Gordon advocating for a stronger push to advertise available rental space at the school. "Finding other sources of rental income would benefit us and the town as a whole," he said.

With nothing left on the agenda, the committee voted to adjourn at 8:45 pm.

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Committee Makes Non-Resident Decision

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

A regular meeting of the Rochester School Committee was called to order by Chairperson Tina Rood on September 2, 2010 at 7:00 pm. Also in attendance were Committee members Robin Rounseville, Sharon Hartley,

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Timothy Scholz and Donna Laliberte.

The minutes of the June 2, 2010 meeting were approved.

The Committee's first meeting was with the new Facilities Director, Mike Meunier. Mr. Meunier gave a brief presentation on RMS renovation/extension, which is on schedule and under budget. The school was professionally cleaned in time for children to start on September 1.

In a meeting with the food service director, Suzanne Souza, the Committee heard about the school's new offerings, which focused on more whole grains, local produce and lower-sugar options. "It's going over well," said Ms. Souza, who wants to organize a program to focus on incorporating the five food groups into each lunch.

Ms. Hartley presented a concern from the Committee regarding budgetary issues in the food service department. RMS was over \$8,000 over budget for food in the 2009/2010 school year, prompting a concern for the 2010/2011 school year. The lunch prices have not increased, despite the increase in food quality, and the Committee was concerned that the deficit could be even worse this year.

But Ms. Souza said that the cost of the meals were actually lowered this year, thanks to the use of local produce. Also, Ms. Souza said that increased supervision would reduce waste and ensure consistency in serving sizes. "[The staff] is cutting back on waste... They know

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it's a situation that needs to change," she said.

Ms. Hartley asked Ms. Souza to return to the next school committee meeting with a report detailing what the average meal costs per student so they can address the approximate \$1,000 per month deficit and be able to level-fund their food budget for this year.

In his Principal's Report, Principal Jay Ryan informed the Committee that the town had gained one grant and lost another. The gained grant comes from ING, and totals \$2,000. Physical Education teacher Kevin Woodward applied for the grant and will use the money to establish a running program at RMS. The Committee voted to accept the grant.

The lost grant is the REAPS grant, which is

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issued to rural districts. Rochester's student population experienced enough of a boost to remove them from consideration for the grant for this year, but Mr. Ryan said that the population fluctuation next year might make them eligible again in the 2011/2012 school year.

Additionally, the schools will receive \$10,000 from the state to explore regionalizing Tri-Town schools at the elementary level. A regionalization subcommittee has been formed to explore this topic fully, and to determine the financial advantages that regionalization might bring to Mattapoisett, Marion and Rochester.

In a meeting with Cathy Grinham, a registered Mass Health Provider, the school learned about a new state initiative to provide basic dental hygiene in schools. The program, which is being facilitated by the state's Office of Oral Health, is the result of a new law signed in 2008 by Governor Deval Patrick to implement a new sealant and fluoride varnish program. Both the sealant and fluoride are used to prevent tooth decay, which Ms. Grinham said could be a serious cause of overall physical distress. A grant awarded to Ms. Grinham means that she could provide this program to children at no charge for RMS.

The program would be particularly directed at Grades 2, 6 and 7, since molars have typically "erupted" by then, according to Ms. Grinham. She would need a small, fairly private area to complete the 15-minute sealant procedure, and she would have to conduct a



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check-up on the sealant a few months after the procedure to ensure that the sealant has "taken." The work is completed with disposable tools, and is completely voluntary, meaning parents would be able to opt out if they didn't want to have the sealants done for their children.

At the cost of \$55 to \$75 a tooth, sealants can be cost-prohibitive for families, said Ms. Grinham. This program would be an opportunity to provide this service to families who might not be able to otherwise afford it.

Committee member Ms. Laliberte expressed some hesitation in regards to the program, though. She was concerned with the classroom interruption and the hygiene aspect of it. "I need to digest it," said Ms.



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Labiberte, who thought that it might not be an appropriate venue for school.

Mr. Scholtz likened the program to scoliosis, vision and hearing screenings that have all been conducted over the years in the schools. Mr. Scholtz reflected the feelings of most of the Committee when he said he supported the measure but "the details need to be sorted out."

The Committee agreed to meet with Ms. Grinham again at the next meeting to consider the program and elaborate on details, which may include conducting the dental procedures on a parent-teacher night to reduce classroom interruption.

In a final meeting of the night, the Committee met with a parent of an RMS student. The parent, an RMS mother, had requested the meeting with the Committee to ask if her son could remain at RMS, despite the fact that they have had to recently move temporarily to Marion. According to the mother, the Marion rental is just a location to hold their belongings, and she and her son still sleep four nights a week in Rochester at her brother's house. She is currently seeking a rental in Rochester and is a tenant-at-will in Marion.

The Committee took some time to consider the request, deliberating on the non-resident policy in place and the possible exceptions under which the family's situation may fall. At first, they considered the "transitional" exception of the policy, which allows

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The next meeting of the Rochester School Committee will be held on October 7. The Committee voted to adjourn at 9:07 pm.

Further Lagoon Investigations Greenlit

Marion Board of Selectmen

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order by Chairman Roger Blanchette on September 7, 2010 in the Marion Town House conference room at 7:00 pm. Also in attendance were Selectmen Jonathan Henry and Stephen Cushing,



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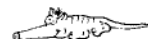
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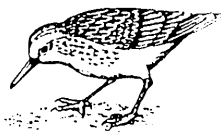
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The Board approved the minutes of the August 17
meeting.

In the first Appointment, the Board met with
Cumberland Farms in regards to a requested fuel storage
tank increase at 406 Wareham Road, on the south side of
Route 6. Cumberland Farms representatives, fresh from a
Marion planning board meeting in which their expansion
plans were not approved, still made a presentation to the
Board of Selectmen, showing their tank plans.

Manny Paiva, manager of the Cumberland Farms
planning department, said that the current configuration
involves three 8,000-gallon tanks for a net total of
24,000 gallons. The new proposal would call for two
20,000-gallon tanks, net-totaling 40,000 gallons, and the
tanks would be located north of where they are currently
placed. Since the tanks would be larger, the business
would only require two fuel deliveries per week, as
opposed to the current four deliveries per week.

According to Mr. Paiva, there is currently no
leakage in the older tanks that were installed in 1984, but
the project would be an upgrade and would provide more
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opportunity". The representatives said that the fire chief had reviewed the plans and had no issue with them.

"Most people in this town want to know what you are going to do with the building across the street," said Chairman Blanchette. Mr. Pellegrini said that the Cumberland Farms location on the north side of Route 6 is in a leased building, and the company has no complete authority with what happens there. As it stands, Mr. Pellegrini thought that the smaller Cumberland Farms would remain in operation with no plans for future changes.

After relatively short discussion, the Board agreed to continue the public hearing for the September 21 Board of Selectmen meeting, for 8:10 pm. The gap in time would give them the opportunity to "mull it over", said Chairman Blanchette.

In another appointment, the Board met with the Coalition for Buzzard's Bay (CBB) to hear an update on CBB's groundwater sampling. At their last presentation in January 2010, CBB president Mark Rasmussen presented the issue of water quality deterioration in Sippican

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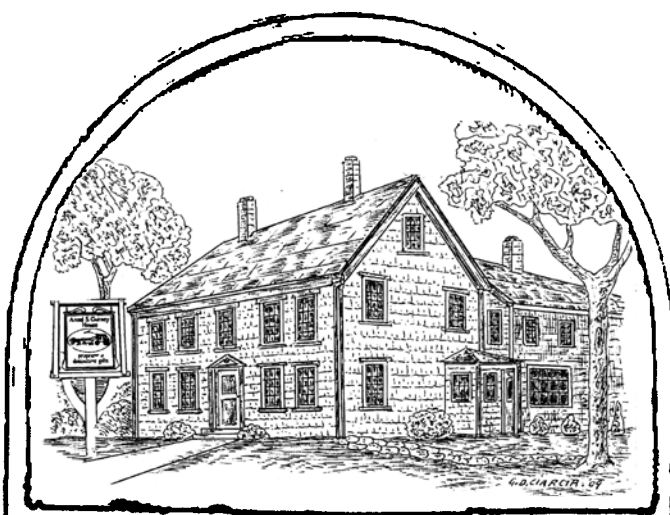


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Harbor and its possible causes. At the time of the initial presentation, CBB wished to pursue the possibility of the wastewater lagoons in the area of Aucoot Cove, just south of Benson Brook, as the culprit for the nitrogen effluent.

Along with CBB representatives Mark Rasmussen and Corrine Peterson was hydrogeologist and Horsley / Witten representative Mark Nelson to explain the findings of recent samplings conducted by CBB. "We need to really, truly understand if the lagoons are the source of effluent," said Mr. Nelson. In order to do that, CBB and Mr. Nelson suggested the completion of three more test wells: one in the center of the lagoons to determine the water quality deep within the actual lagoon area, and two more well sites, one being in the area east of the lagoons near Sippican Harbor.

From the two sampling rounds that CBB has completed in 2010, Mr. Nelson said, "We're seeing nitrogen levels that are elevated above what is expected." Although CBB is willing to investigate all avenues of possible nitrogen sources, they wish to focus on the lagoons as a potential source.

The Board wanted to explore the cause of water contamination, but was also concerned with the costs that may be incurred if testing concludes that the lagoons were a source of nitrogen.

"How expensive would [lining the lagoons] be?" Chairman Blanchette asked the CBB representatives.

"I don't think we are there yet," said Mr.

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Rasmussen, who noted that they still could not ascertain that the lagoons are the source of pollution. "The investigation continues," he added.

"If there is a potential for a leak, we have to know about it. We have to be proactive about it," said Selectman Henry. The Board voted to allow CBB to conduct the well digging in order to further the investigation.

Under Action items, the Board:

- Approved a one-day, all-alcohol license for VFW Post 2425 for a September 11 event.
- Signed a letter of appreciation to Representative William Straus in regards to his letter to Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MEPA) supporting a full Environmental Impact Report (EIR) in the Bay Watch Realty's Marion Village Estates project.
- Approved a one-day, all-alcohol license for the Marion Social Club for a steak dinner on September 26.
- Approved a credit memo to Louis Monteiro in the amount of \$427.06 for an overestimated bill.
- Approved a water service commitment in the amount of \$2,110.93.

In the Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dawson thanked all the town departments for their organized efforts in their response to Hurricane Earl preparations. "We were very fortunate that we missed the brunt of Hurricane Earl," said Mr. Dawson. He thought that the emergency preparations was a good practice opportunity for the town, and felt that all departments performed



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well. At a meeting later in the week, the departments and emergency personnel were going to analyze their efforts and reflect on what they did well, and which procedures they could improve.

"They were there, at the ready," said Chairman Blanchette, in regards to all the departments who were ready to act in the event of a worst-case scenario.

"They did an outstanding job," agreed Mr. Dawson.

Mr. Dawson also informed the Board that there would be a Tri-Town Selectmen's meeting on September 29 at 7:30 pm in the Old Rochester Regional ORCTV Media Room.

Among Correspondence received, the Board recognized:

- A letter from MEPA rejecting the Board's request to fully uphold the EIR for Bay Watch Realty's Marion Village Estates plan, despite the scaled back proposal from the applicant.

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In another related letter, Mr. Dawson informed the Board that they had also received correspondence from Town Counsel Jonathan Witten saying that the Board may still be able to file the right to appeal this state decision. The Board voted to have Atty. Whitten come in to further discuss this appeal at the September 21 Board meeting.

- A letter from town resident Gary Warner to the Board stating disapproval in regards to the change in town polling location. Mr. Warner said that he did not think the change in polling location from the Music Hall to the VFW hall on Route 6 would save the town any money and is an unfortunate discontinuation of Music Hall use. Mr. Warner believed that the \$250 VFW rental fee would have been better used to make the Music Hall more handicap-accessible. The Board acknowledged Mr. Warner's concerns with sympathy, but still upheld their decision to change the polling location.

- A letter from the Division of Fisheries and Wildlife decertifying one of the vernal pools located at the proposed Marion Village Estates location.

- A letter from the Marion Art Center requesting approval of the annual Halloween Parade route. The Board voted to approve this request.

There being no more business, the Board voted to adjourn at 9:20 pm. The next meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen will be held at the Marion Town House



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Cumberland Farms Expansion Rejected

Marion Planning Board

By Laura Pedulli

A regular meeting of the Marion Planning Board was called to order by Chairman Jay Ryder on Tuesday, September 7 in the Marion Town Hall. Also present were board members Joseph Napoli, Tom Magauran, Steve Gonsalves, John Sweeney, Ray Crowley, Sherman Briggs and Planning Board Secretary Terri Santos.

The board listened to final comments regarding Cumberland Farms' proposed expansion of its retail operation to 3,593 square feet with additional pumps at its 406 Wareham Street location. Cumberland Farms representatives provided lengthy documentation, including a 14-page response to 30 questions drafted by the board in reference to specific concerns and proof that the company did confer with the Massachusetts Highway Department earlier in its planning stages.

Rob Pellegrini, an attorney representing Cumberland Farms, requested that this document be included in the records and indicated that the company would not agree to more extensions. The board formally closed the open hearing for deliberation on the proposal, which includes two Special Permits – one for the company to operate as a retail establishment and the other for nonconforming setbacks – and a site plan review.

Chairman Ryder instructed the board to

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individually voice their positions on the case. Ms. Crowley said she deferred to other members. Meanwhile, Mr. Briggs, Mr. Gonsalves and Mr. Napoli all supported the application. "I'm in favor of it. I see no reason to downsize it... I'm happy with the project and it is time to move forward," said Mr. Briggs, adding that the updated Cumberland Farms should include an "ironclad maintenance program."

"I'm in favor. It will be nice to see corner cleaned up," Mr. Gonsalves agreed, hoping that conditions could be put in place requiring similar "Boston lamps" lighting scheme as surrounding businesses. Mr. Napoli agreed with both suggestions put forward by Mr. Briggs and Mr. Gonsalves.

Mr. Magauran, however, spoke at length about

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why he does not support the project. Specifically, he expressed concern about the intensity of use at the site, the safety risks of the proposed traffic circulation, the scope of the project, and general concerns about how it fails to adhere to the town's 2015 Committee's guidelines. Mr. Magauran expressed particular worry about traffic being directed to exit out of the back section of the lot and delivery tracks traveling that route impairing visibility. "It works on paper, but it doesn't work in reality," he said.

Mr. Magauran added: "There will be four gas pumps and a massive canopy. What is that? A big sign that says 'gas'... It is too small of a site for what it wants to do." The fact that the volume of traffic at the Cumberland Farms across the street was not factored into the proposal's traffic projections also posed a great concern for Magauran.

Mr. Ryder concurred in his opposition to the proposal. "The intensity is too great," he said, noting concern about "snarled traffic" and safety risks. "No one knows how this will affect the traffic pattern," he said. The chairman also said that he opposed the proposed architecture. "It could have been more presentable," he said, adding, "As referenced by our architect, it is really the gateway to Marion. As proposed, it is not an appropriate gateway to Marion."

After each member spoke, Mr. Witten advised the board to vote on the three different decisions individually, which included two special permit requests for setback allowances and permission to operate as a retail establishment, and the site review plan. "The board should not link them to each other. There are three

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independent decisions," Mr. Witten clarified.

The board voted first on the special permit application requesting a 38.2-foot setback for the pumps, which is below the 50-foot setback required under the town bylaws. Mr. Ryder made a motion denying the special permit and Magauran seconded the motion. Mr. Gonsalves, Mr. Briggs and Mr. Napoli remained silent, effectively rejecting the motion. Ms. Crowley then expressed support for denying the special permit request. Mr. Sweeney recused himself from the vote. In the end, the board voted 3-3 against the special permit. The board then voted to deny the special permit for Cumberland Farms to operate as a retail establishment. Again, Mr. Briggs, Mr. Gonsalves and Mr. Napoli did not support the denial of a special permit. Ms. Crowley again voted with Mr. Magauran and Mr. Ryder to deny the request. As such, the board denied the second special permit 3-3.

At this point, Mr. Witten pointed out that the two rejections essentially rendered the final vote on the site plan review as meaningless because the company could not operate without allowable setbacks or without permission to operate as a retail business. As such, the board voted 4-0 to deny the site plan, with Mr. Gonsalves and Mr. Briggs abstaining.

Mr. Witten said he would draft the board's decision that will require a signature by the town clerk. He said the applicant can appeal the decision to the judicial court if they see fit.

The board approved the July 19 and August 19 minutes. With no other items on the agenda, the board voted to adjourn at 6:05 pm.

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School Report

Working Students

By Anne Smith

The economy is still struggling to improve, and Old Rochester Regional finally is beginning to show signs of its own struggle with the budget. In the annual class assemblies, school principal Michael Devoll explained to students that some fees have been instituted to help keep the school budget manageable. One of these fees was a parking fee, only applicable to the students who use the school parking lot rather than taking the buses. In past years, parking has been free, but now it costs \$50 for the whole year and \$25 for the second semester only. Also, an extra-curricular fee of \$100 per student

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With these new expenses for the 2010/2011 school year, what is a student to do?

Many students have found the answer by getting jobs – either for the summer or for the year – to earn some spending money. I got a job in the fast food industry; many classmates I know work for my employer's competition, McDonald's. Speaking to one such classmate, sophomore Tiernyn Selha, and many other students from various classes, I've learned that I've missed some sort of memo: the place to work in fast food is McDonald's, not Burger King. "There's a lot of people I know there," Ms. Selha said.

Outside of fast food, several students have been working in other fields. Recent ORR graduates have been working at local daycares and in retail; some current students have been working locally at Oxford Creamery, Seaport Village Ice Cream and Coffee Shoppe, and the Mattapoisett Chowder House. One junior spent the summer working for the William E. Mee sailing program.

The primary motivations for students to start working in high school are numerous: to pay for their car, insurance, gas, and now parking fee; to have money of their own; and to have something to list on a college resume. Ms. Selha cites her motivation as "saving for college, a car, and to have some extra money to get what I need."

Beyond the practical reasons for getting a job, Ms. Selha recognizes the fact that it is a necessary step to becoming an adult in the real world. First, she (and all of the students who are currently working) is breaking away from the very small Tri-Town community to meet and

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work with different people from different backgrounds. "You... get to know the people you work with really well," Ms. Selha said about her coworkers who are not current students at ORR. Second, Ms. Selha made a very insightful comment about her job and the experience of working in the real world, a statement that I'm very sure would impress many Tri-Town residents: "[The real world] is tough, and you really need to be responsible or you're getting nowhere," she said.

Most students are working as many hours as they can while remaining dedicated to their schoolwork and extra-curricular activities. Most students are working between 10 and 20 hours per week. "My shifts are usually about five hours," Ms. Selha said. Over at Burger

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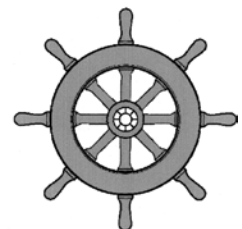
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On another note, Ms. Selha gave some practical advice for fellow students who might be considering getting a job, whether it is in the fast food industry or for a more illustrious employer. "When you go to your interview, smile... and say you want to learn more about customer service. Basically, show them you want to do [the job]."

Sports Shorts

By Benjamin Resendes

The Old Rochester Regional football team is looking strong this year as evident by the preseason practices. Many of the returning senior varsity players will be key for the starting season. Two strong returning senior players are offensive and defensive lineman **Mike Gifford** and running back **Ian Knapton**. Both players have played football during all of their years at ORR. The starting quarterback for this season will be **Mike Asci**, a returning junior player. Although the date has not been set for the homecoming game this year, it will take place sometime in November. Although no practices or scrimmages have been canceled due to EEE, the coaches are hoping a November frost will keep any lasting mosquitoes from endangering players or fans.

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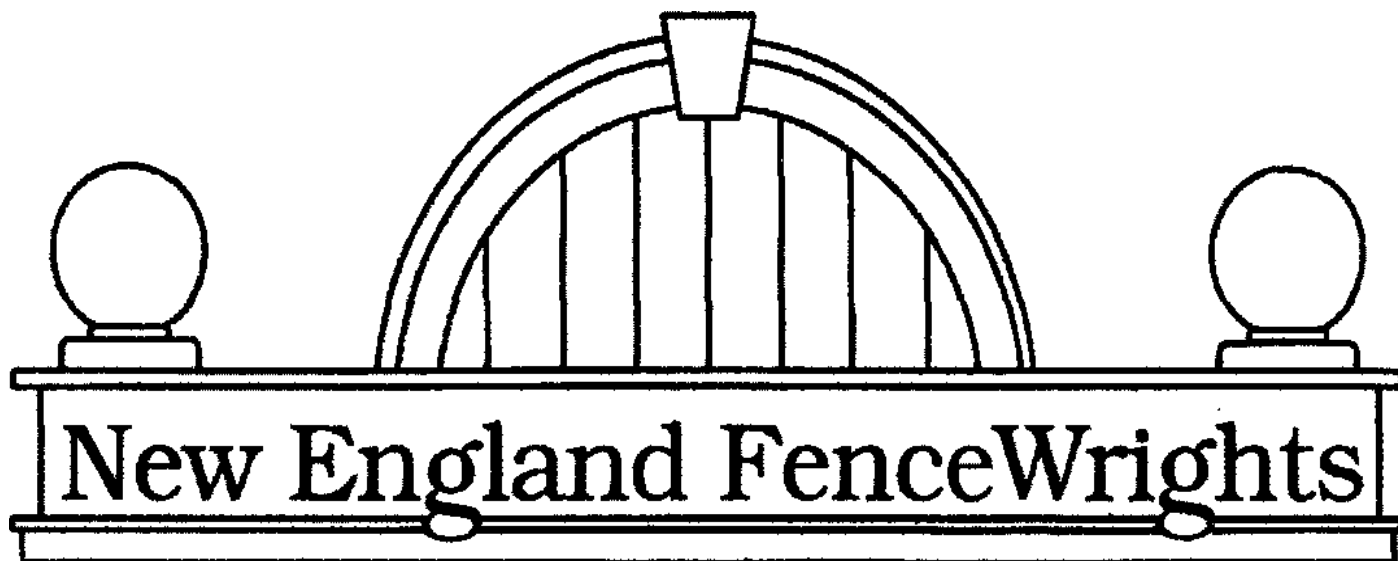
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The **ORR boys cross-country** preseason started on August 26, but the team is now well into the regular season and seem to have much potential. There are 26 boys on the team, with much talent to be found, both veteran and new. The team is looking forward to some impressive results from returning runner **Dana Dourdeville** this year. Other returning players include **Mike Tiger**, **David Freidman**, **Nick Pacheco** and **Nathaniel and Walker Fuchs**.

In addition to the boys' team, the **ORR girls' cross-country team** holds much potential in the upcoming fall track season. While there are fewer runners for the girls' team than the boys, they have many runners worth keeping an eye on. Key returnees include **Emily Roseman**, **Maggie Tracy**, **Abby Hiller**, **Hannah O'Day**, **Sophia Santos** and **Justine and Jerelle Jessie**. The girls' team started on the same preseason schedule as the boys'

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David Fleurent had a score of 41 and 6.0 points, **Jonathan
Wilbur** had a score of 49 and 3.5 points, **Troy Durr** had a
score of 51 and 4.5 points and **Zack Kirby** who had a score
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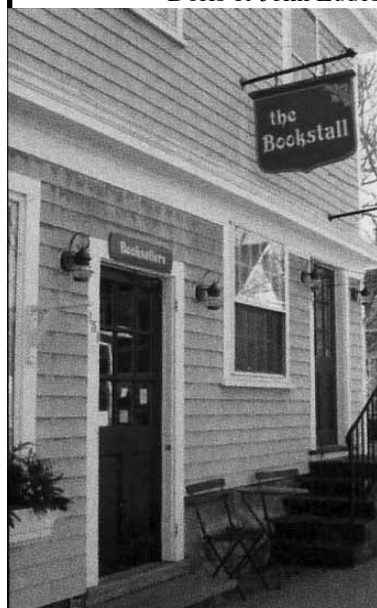
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Get Ready for the Halloween Contests!

Can you believe it? It's almost time for Halloween! Once again, *The Wanderer* is hosting two annual Halloween Contests to get you into the spooky spirit!

• Contest 1 – The Halloween Story Contest

– Write a story, and maybe even win a prize! During the month of October, *The Wanderer* prints Halloween stories submitted by our readers and the writer of the best story wins a great prize!

The best story will be selected by an area panel of judges and the winner will receive a Nintendo Wii!

The deadline for the story contest is Friday, **October 1** at noon, in order to give our judges enough time to read the entries. Stories will be printed in the October issues of *The Wanderer*. The Winner will be



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• Contest 2 – The Halloween Cover Contest

– Your best Halloween artwork could be on the cover of *The Wanderer* and you could win a great prize! Submit your best original Halloween drawing, photo, compilation or artwork to enter for publication on our October 28 cover.

Deadline for submitting artwork is Friday,
October 15 at noon. Online voting will take place from
October 16 to October 25. The cover Winner will win
a Nintendo Wii and his or her artwork will be on the
October 28 cover of *The Wanderer*!

• **Halloween Gift Basket** – Every person
who votes in the cover contest will be entered to win
a Wanderer Halloween gift basket, which will include
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your favorite cover from **October 16 to 25** on our website:
www.wanderer.com.

• **The Fine Print** – All entries must include
a signed copy of the Official Entry Form, which can
be picked up at *The Wanderer* office: 55 County Road,
Mattapoisett. Entry forms can also be downloaded at
www.Wanderer.com (click on "Halloween Contest").

All entries must be original. Stories must be
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There will be music, prizes, raffles and vendors. The cost is \$20 in advance and \$25 on the day of the event. For advance tickets, contact Scott at 508-742-8243. The poker run will be held rain or shine.

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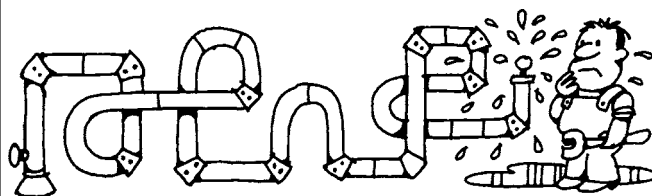
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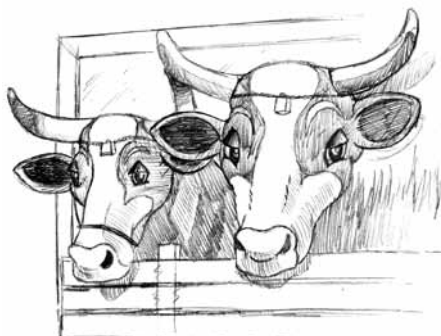
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- Fall Constellations – On **October 22** at 7:30 pm, join amateur astronomer Mike Cronin while we view the fall constellations. Let's look for Jupiter, Uranus and Neptune using the museum's telescopes.

Wednesday Afterschool Programs

- **September 22** - Tour of Bird Island – The Terns have left the island and it's safe to explore again. Let's learn something about the history with the Marion Harbormasters office. Space is limited so this program will close at 12 people total. Bring your own life jacket. No life jacket, no ride! This program will last an hour longer than normal, 3:30 to 5:30 pm. Pick up will be at the Harbormaster's office.

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• **November 3** - Sea Turtles - Did you know that four species of sea turtles are found around Cape Cod and southeastern Massachusetts in the summer? Come and learn about these endangered species, from the young Kemp's ridleys, the size of a dinner plate, to the giant leatherbacks, which can be eight feet long and weigh more than a thousand pounds.

• **December 8** - Nature Crafts - We will work on projects for gift-giving using materials we find outside our front doors, (volunteers to help with crafts would be most welcome). Light refreshments will be served.

For registration forms and times, visit the Marion Natural History Museum website at www.MarionMuseum.org.

Marion Social Club

• **Steak Dinner** - The Marion Social Club is hosting a September Steak Dinner on **September 26**. Doors will open at noon, and the steak dinner will be served at 1:00 pm. The meal will consist of steak, salad, potato, vegetable, rolls, butter and dessert. The donation price for the meal is \$15. Contact Brenda at 508-291-4062 for tickets and information. The cut-off date to order tickets is September 20.

• **Bake Sale** - Marion Social Club and its members are hosting a bake sale at the Stop and Shop in Wareham on **September 25**, starting at 8:00 am and lasting until the goods run out. All items are freshly

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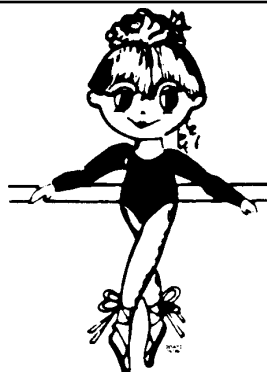
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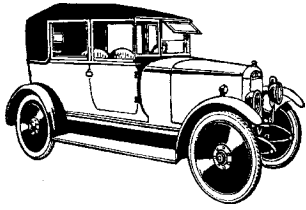
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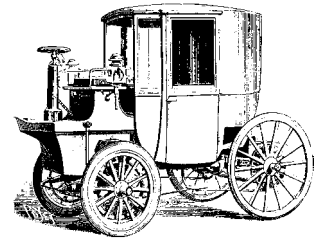
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This is a great family night. Come enjoy a meat pie supper with dessert and a beverage. The cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for students and \$30 for a family. Children under 5 are free. Advance purchase of tickets is necessary. Please make your ticket purchase by September 16 by calling the Church office at 508-758-2671, or purchase them at the Church's Sunday coffee hour. Proceeds from the supper will benefit programs of the Mattapoisett

Congregational Church.

Grandparents' Day at Eastover

Come celebrate the third annual Grandparents' Day at Eastover Farm, located at 131 Hiller Road in Rochester on Sunday, **September 12** from 1:00 to 4:00 pm. There will be free admission and free parking at this family fun event!

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Monday Sept. 13, 2010

8:00 AM - Senior Scene
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Arts and Ideas
9:30 AM - Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM - Cancer Story
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
3:00 PM - Words of Peace
3:30 PM - Expedition New England
5:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show

5:30 PM - ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
8:00 PM - Sharing Miracles
8:30 PM - Physician's Focus
10:00 PM - Smart Boating
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - Get Connected with Conn Jackson
11:30 PM - Animal House
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Tuesday Sept. 14, 2010

8:00 AM - Go Fish with Dan Kenny
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Graceful Aging
9:30 AM - ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
3:00 PM - The New Thinking about Aging
6:00 PM - Second Act
6:30 PM - The Dr. Is In
7:00 PM - Senior Scene
7:30 PM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
8:00 PM - Inside ORCTV
9:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
10:30 PM - If Plants Could Talk
Midnight - Midnight Mausoleum

Wednesday Sept. 15, 2010

8:00 AM - Homefront
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM - The Dr. Is In
10:00 AM - Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle

Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
4:00 PM - Midwest Politics with David Pakman
5:00 PM - Smart Boating
5:30 PM - Go Fish with Dan Kenney
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
7:00 PM - White House Chronicle
7:30 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show
8:00 PM - Midwest Politics with David Pakman
9:00 PM - Cancer Story
10:00 PM - Future Talk
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
Midnight - Midnight Movie
1:30 AM - Sci-Fi Journal

Thursday Sept. 16, 2010

8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
5:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
6:30 PM - Inside ORCTV
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - Music
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Music
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Midnight Mausoleum

Friday Sept. 17, 2010

8:00 AM - ORCTV Non-Profit Highlights
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle

9:00 AM - Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM - Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM - Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM - Senior Stretch
5:30 PM - ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
7:00 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show
7:30 PM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
8:00 PM - New England Outdoor Life
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM - Veterans Helping Veterans
10:30 PM - ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - The Steve Katsos Show
Midnight - Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

Saturday Sept. 18, 2009

8:00 AM - Classic Cartoon Festival
10:30 AM - NASA 360
11:00 AM - Expedition New England
11:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
Noon - Inside ORCTV
12:30 PM - ORCTV Non-Profit Highlights
1:00 PM - Go Fish with Dan Kenney
2:30 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
4:30 PM - Expedition New England
6:30 PM - Get Connected with Conn Jackson
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - Music
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Music
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - The Dungeon of Dreck

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Daily Schedule

11:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:30 PM - Affordable Housing Trust
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT Comcast Channel 95 Verizon Channel 40

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Latest School Committee Meeting
10:30 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Latest School Committee Meeting
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL Comcast Channel 18 Verizon Channel 37

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
8:45 AM - Life After ORR
9:30 PM - ORRHS Graduation Ceremony
11:00 AM - ORRHS 2010 Promenade
Noon - 2010 ORRHS Senior Awards
2:00 PM - Life After ORR
2:30 PM - ORRHS 2010 Senior Assembly
4:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
5:00 PM - ORRHS Graduation Ceremony
6:30 PM - 2010 ORRHS Senior Awards
8:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
10:00 PM - Life After ORR
10:15 PM - ORRHS 2010 Senior Assembly

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Birth

Isabella Bacchiocchi was born July 6, 2010 to her proud parents, Kristina and Ryan Bacchiocchi. She joins her big sister Alexandria in their family home in Rochester.

Obituaries

Stephen R. Hanna, of Mattapoisett passed away unexpectedly of leukemia on August 31, 2010 at Dana Farber Cancer Institute/Brigham & Women's Hospital in Boston.

Born in Malone, New York on September 2, 1940, he was the son of the late Robert H. and Elizabeth M. (Mason) Hanna. He was married to Nancy Walker Hanna with whom he shared 47 years of marriage.

He was a graduate of Franklin Academy and attained Eagle Scout ranking as a teenager. He graduated from Norwich University as a 2nd Lieutenant. He was commissioned to the US Army and served during the Korean Conflict and Vietnam War. He earned the rank of Captain and was the recipient of two Bronze Star for Valor as well as other military honors. He went on to work for the truck manufacturing company, Mack Trucks, as a service engineer for many years. During his years of semi-retirement, he went on to found H & H Associates, a regional commercial vehicle and truck parts company based here in Mattapoisett.

In addition to many professional affiliations and memberships, he was a member of the American Legion Florence Eastman Post 280 and the Disabled American Veterans Dr. C.E. Burt Chapter 7. He was an active board member for the Mattapoisett Council on Aging. He recently finished an extensive research project on a early 19th century water delivery wagon for the Mattapoisett Historical Society as part of the Mattapoisett 100 years Celebration.

Survivors include his wife; his 5 children, Deborah Hanna and Kevin Garrett of New York City, Robert Hanna, Jr., M.D. and his wife Dee of Easton, MD, Kelly Hanna-Sen and her husband Nilanjan of Queens, NY, Michael Hanna and his wife Christine of Northampton, MA and Kristen Hanna of Providence, RI; a sister, Mary Edgar of Port Orange, Florida; 4 grandchildren, Justin, Tyler, Sofia and Rohan and his cousin Ernest Mason of Plattsburg, NY. He was the brother of the late John Hanna who is survived by his wife Beth.

His family will receive guests on Saturday, September 11th from 12 Noon - 3 PM in the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6), Mattapoisett. There will be a military honors service at the Massachusetts National Veterans Cemetery in Bourne on Friday, September 10th at 2:45 PM followed by a private family service at Cushing Cemetery in Mattapoisett. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made in honor of his memory and to support cancer research and care for families affected by cancer at Dana Farber Cancer Research Hospital. Donations may be mailed to - Stephen Hanna for the Jimmy Fund, c/o Webster Bank, P.O. Box 978, Mattapoisett MA, 02739. The family is raising funds to name a gene in Steve's memory as part of the Gene Project of The Jimmy Fund. The Jimmy Fund supports cancer research and treatment programs at

Dana Farber. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Cynthia Leas Worcester Shaks, 69 of Big Canoe, Georgia, born April 24, 1941 in Duluth, Minnesota, passed away August 30, 2010 in Roswell, Georgia

Eldest daughter of the late Commander Frederick Leas Worcester and the late Elizabeth MacPherran Worcester.

She married David Carey Shanks on September 1, 1962 in Asheville, N.C., who survives. She is also survived by a daughter, Nanon Clarke Shanks Olson, and her husband, Carl Frederick Olson, of Marietta, Georgia and their three children: Kyle Gustav Olson, David Hayward Olson, and Elizabeth Leas Olson. She is also survived by a son, Andrew MacPherran Shanks, and his wife, Keri Lester Shanks, of Woodbridge, Virginia and their daughter, Elizabeth Lynn Shanks.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Kirsten Conant Shanks, who was survived by her husband, Brendan Michael Halpin, and a daughter, Rowen Shanks Halpin, of Jamaica Plain, New York.

She is also survived by a sister, Elizabeth MacPherran Worcester Numrich, of Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota, and her children: Philip Wixom Numrich, and Helen Elizabeth Numrich DeFlorin.

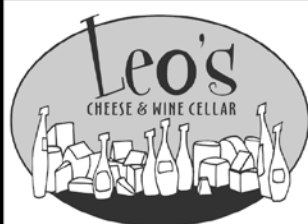
Mrs. Shanks was educated at the American International School in the Philippines, Montego Bay High School in Jamaica, and at The Abbott Academy in Andover, Massachusetts. She received her Bachelor of Arts in Religion from Mount Holyoke College in North Hadley, Massachusetts.

After her marriage to Mr. Shanks, she resided with her growing family in Wilmington, Delaware; in Huntington, Long Island, New York; in Wayland, Massachusetts; in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; in Marion, Massachusetts; and since 2006, in Big Canoe, Georgia.

While balancing the demands of child-rearing and homemaking, she worked tirelessly for the benefit of her community. She never lost her love of learning, and was a voracious reader. She loved nature in all its forms, and was a friend of creatures great and small.

During her energetic career she was a research assistant in the Psychology Department at the University of Delaware; a school bus driver and nursery school teacher in Huntington, Long Island; a Bookmobile driver for the Framingham Public Library; a bank teller in Wayland, Massachusetts; an employee of The Sudbury Valley Trustees, an environmental conservation organization in Wayland; a paralegal with Palmer & Dodge in Boston; a member of the Parish Committee of the First Parish Unitarian Church of Wayland; a volunteer at the Ronald McDonald House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; a member of the Sippican Women's Club, Marion, Massachusetts; and a volunteer at the Good Samaritan Health and Wellness Center, providing free medical care for residents of Pickens County, Georgia.

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Ruth G. (Jolly) Correia, 93, of Centerville died September 1, 2010 at Alden Court in Fairhaven after a brief illness. She was the wife of the late Manuel P. Correia.

Born in New Bedford, the daughter of the late Omer and Ruth (Keelan) Jolly, she lived in Mattapoisett for 25 years before moving to Barnstable Village and later to Centerville. She co-founded Sharkey's Tire with her late husband.

She enjoyed stamp collecting and hand writing analysis. She was a former member of the Mattapoisett Women's Club and a former Girl Scout leader.

Survivors include a son, Donald R. Correia of Mattapoisett; a daughter, Sandy Correia McAlister and her husband Dean of Stuart, FL; 6 grandchildren, David M. Correia of Fairhaven, Dawn-Ruth Mello & Partner Scott Bourgeois of New Bedford, Dean R. Correia and wife Kimberly of Rochester, D. Robin Gouveia and her husband Gregory of Rochester, Gregory D. McAlister of Jupiter, FL, Nicholas McAlister of Woodbridge, VA; 9 great-grandchildren, Tanya Mello of Fairhaven, Valery Stuart and her Husband James of New Bedford, Danielle Correia of Falmouth, Robert Correia of Falmouth, Brian Correia of Falmouth, Heather Correia of Pensacola, FL, Jordan Correia of New Bedford, Jessica S. Correia of Rochester, and Amanda Correia of New Bedford; and 2 great-great-grandchildren, Brayden Estrela of Fairhaven and Madison Estrela of Fairhaven. She was the grandmother of the late Deirdre Correia and Dianne Correia.

Her private funeral arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6), Mattapoisett. Remembrances may be made to Mass Lions Eye Research Fund Inc., c/o P.D.G. William T. Murphy, Treasurer, P.O. Box 6050 New Bedford, MA 02742. For on-line guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Walter H. Dixon, 94, of Dartmouth died Monday August 30, 2010 at Hathaway Manor Extended Care Facility after a period of declining health. He was the husband of Phyllis B. (Schmidt) Gardner-Dixon and the late Anne L. (Hansen) Dixon.

Born in Fairhaven, the son of the late James G. and Helena M. (Harrison) Dixon, he lived in Fairhaven most of his life before moving to Dartmouth in 1998.

Mr. Dixon was formerly employed by the Standard-Times for many years until his retirement. During World War II, he served as a sergeant in the U.S. Army. He was a recipient of the European-African-Middle Eastern Theater Campaign ribbon, the American Theater Campaign ribbon, the Bronze Star medal for heroic achievement while in battle, the Purple Heart, and the World War II Victory medal.

Mr. Dixon played football and softball for the Varsity Club. In 1932, he was invited to play the violin with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. He was an avid bowler and scrimshander.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Walter Dixon and his wife

Suzanne of Rochester; a daughter, Holly Ostneberg and her husband Michael of Marion and Florida; a stepson, Arnold Gardner and his wife Claudette of Westford; a stepdaughter, Priscilla Fellows and her husband Gary of New Bedford; a daughter-in-law, Jadine Loo-Dixon of Mattapoisett; ten grandchildren, Amy Bloodsworth, Ellen Correia, Kate Ostneberg, Jacob Dixon, Molly Fournier, Phillip Dixon, Melanie Dixon, Lauren Gardner, Kristina Gardner and Olivia Gardner; and five great-grandchildren. He was the father of the late Robert Dixon, great-grandfather of the late Bryce Correia and the brother of the late Dorothy Baker.

His private Funeral Service was held Thursday morning, September 2nd at the Saunders-Dwyer Home for Funerals, 495 Park St., New Bedford. Burial followed in the Acushnet Cemetery.

Paul V. "Bucky" Reilly, 55, of Mattapoisett died September 1, 2010 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

Born in Queens, NY, the son of Lester "Bud" Reilly of Delran, NJ, John Lees, Sr. of Mattapoisett and the late Jane E. (Donaghy) Lees, he lived in Mattapoisett most of his life.

Paul was a communicant of St. Anthony's Church. He was an ORR High School graduate where he was a stand-out football and basketball player. Paul obtained a basketball scholarship to Flagler College prior to serving 4 years in the U.S. Marine Corps. during the Vietnam War and 10 years in the reserves. Paul was a graduate of Boston State University. Upon relocating to Florida with his family in 1988, Paul worked as a Software Engineer for Harris Corporation in Cape Canaveral in which he held several top secret clearances due to his direct involvement in NASA Space Program projects.

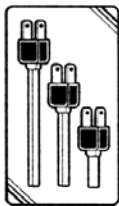
Survivors include his wife Kathryn L. (Tuttle) Reilly and her children, Adam D. Medeiros and Katelyn D. Medeiros; his former wife, Lynn (Letendre) Saunders; 3 sons, Aaron Reilly and his wife Julie, Ryan Reilly and Jordan Reilly; 6 brothers and sisters, Richard Reilly and his wife Melanie, Donna Reilly Askew, Andrew Reilly and his wife Meg, Karen Lees, John Lees, Jr. and his wife Pamela and Jane Lees; 3 grandchildren, Desiree, Austin and Katelyn Reilly; and many nieces and nephews. He was the brother of the late Timothy Reilly and Joy Reilly.

Arrangements were by the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6), Mattapoisett.

Milton Morris age 81 died Saturday September 4, 2010 at St. Luke's Hospital after a period of declining health. Milton was the husband of Lucinda (Mello) Morris of Dartmouth, and was the father of JoAnn Carreiro and her husband Kevin of Dartmouth, Cheryl Letendre and her husband Ray of Rochester, Brett Morris and his wife Alison of New Bedford, and the late Curt D. Morris. Grandfather of Jason, Kristin and her husband Chad, Curt B., Cori, and Kyle, and great grandfather of Olivia. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Morris was the son of the late Mary (Medeiros)

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and John Morris. He was born in New Bedford and lived in Dartmouth most of his life. He was employed as a machine operator at Goodyear Tire and Rubber for over 30 Years. Mr. Morris loved gardening, quahogging, traveling and spending time with his family. He was an avid Yankees fan. He was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict.

Arrangements by the Perry Funeral Home. Burial was private at the request of the family.

Eileen "Dee" (Doyle) McCarthy, 71, of Wakefield, died on Wednesday, September 1 at the VA Hospital in West Roxbury. Born in Providence, RI on August 5, 1939 she was the daughter of the late Edward J. Jr. and Eileen (Burke) Doyle.

Mrs. McCarthy was a graduate of Wellesley High School, Class of 1957 and Catherine Laboure School of Nursing in Dorchester. She served in the U.S. Army Nurse Corps and later practiced nursing at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington D.C. Dee had been a resident of Wakefield since 1966 and was a member of St. Joseph Church.

Mrs. McCarthy was the wife of Henry W. McCarthy. She was the mother of Christine McCarthy and her husband Mark Manzelli of Dunwoody, GA, Dawn McCarthy of Arlington, VA, Justin McCarthy and his wife Bonnie of Long Beach, CA, Maura McCarthy of Rockport, Tara McCarthy of Wakefield, Deidre Marshall and her husband Roger of Overland Park, KS and Shauna McCarthy of Arlington, VA. She was the sister of Kathleen Edmonds of Charleston, SC, Maureen Butler of Mattapoisett, Ned Doyle of Longmeadow, Mary Krasinski of Newton and Denise Crans of Silver Spring, MD. She was the grandmother of Kash, Sean, Dylan, Brendan and Ethan. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Arrangements by the McDonald Funeral Home, 19 Yale Ave., Wakefield, MA Interment at the VA National Cemetery in Bourne. Memorial contributions may be made to the VA Boston Health Care System, Fisher House, Voluntary Service, 1400 VFW Pkwy, West Roxbury, MA 02132 or Visiting Nurses Association of Middlesex Essex, 607 North Ave., Suite 17, Wakefield, MA 01880

Mary E. (St. Germain) Stellato, 75, of Mattapoisett died Friday September 3, 2010 at McCarthy Care Center in Sandwich after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Woonsocket, RI, the daughter of the late Eugene and Loretta (Coffey) St. Germain, she lived in Worcester for many years before moving to Mattapoisett in 1969.

She was a communicant of St. Anthony's Church.

Mrs. Stellato began her long career with the New Bedford Public School Department in 1969 first as a home economics teacher at New Bedford High School and Keith Junior High School and then as the chairperson of the Home Economics Department. She later was the head of the New Bedford Pregnant and Parenting Teen Program until her retirement.

Mrs. Stellato received her Bachelor's degree from Framingham State College and her Master's degree from Fitchburg State College.

She had been a volunteer for the Junior Achievement program and Project Grow at Center School in Mattapoisett.

Survivors include four children, John M. Stellato, Jr. and his wife Rita, James J. Stellato and his wife Lucy, and Eugene F. Stellato and his wife Cindy, all of Mattapoisett, and Camille A. Yergeau and her husband Roger of Fairhaven; her siblings, Jeannette Gabaree of New Hampshire, Eugene, John, Robert, and William St. Germain, all of the Worcester area; eight grandchildren, Katherine, Michael, Collin, Sarah, T.J., Alyson, Nathaniel, and Evan; and many nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late James St. Germain.

In accordance with her wishes, her remains were received by Harvard Medical School for anatomical research. Her Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday September 11, 2010 at 10 AM at St. Anthony's Church. Visiting hours are omitted. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline, MA 02445-7226. For online condolence book, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com

Carol Ann (Ripley) Ames, 74, died Saturday, September 4, 2010, at her home in Acushnet. Born in Taunton, the daughter of the late Thomas and Julia (Perrin) Ripley, she was the wife of fifty-two years George Ames, whom she regarded as her best friend.

Carol Ann attended Raynham grammar schools and graduated from Taunton High School. Many years ago she worked at the former Taunton State Hospital. She and her husband previously lived in Taunton before moving to Acushnet twenty-eight years ago. She enjoyed NASCAR, camping, going to Foxwoods, her family, and she was especially fond of her dog, Floyd.

Carol was the mother of Robin Calverley of Sandwich, Brenda DeMoura and Mark of Berkley, Carol-Lynn Brown and Chris of Rochester, Richard Ames and Debra of East Taunton, and David Ames and Lynn of Cincinnati, OH. She was also the mother of Baby David Ames, who died in infancy, and the mother-in-law of the late Beth Ames. She was the grandmother of ten and the great-grandmother of two. Carol was also the sister of Craig Ripley and Myra of Raynham, and the sister-in-law of Thomas and Virginia Ames of Raynham, Lorraine Ames of Marston Mills and Ruth Gagne of Assonet and the late Alfred Ames. She was the aunt of several and the special friend of Pat Atton of Acushnet.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a funeral service in THE CRAPO-HATHAWAY FUNERAL HOME, 350 Somerset Ave. (Route 138 South), in Taunton Thursday, September 9, 2010, at 11:00 AM, with interment following in Pleasant Street Cemetery, Raynham. Visiting hours Wednesday, September 8, from 4:00-8:00 PM. To leave a memorial or for directions, please log on to www.hathawayfunerals.com.

Contributions in her memory may be made to Caritas Home Care, 275 Martine Street, Fall River, MA 02723; and/or to the A. L. S. Family Charitable Foundation, P. O. Box 229, Buzzards Bay, MA 02532.

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The Rochester Republican Town Committee will meet Saturday, **September 18**, at 10:00 am at the Underhill residence, located at 570 North Avenue, Rochester. The public is welcome to attend. 508-763-5001.

Mattapoisett Recreation

• **Gymnastics** – Evaluations for gymnastics will be held on Thursday, **September 9** and Wednesday, **September 15** from 5:00 to 7:00 pm in the gymnasium at Center School. Classes will be held on Wednesdays and Thursdays based on skill level. If you have any questions, contact Tammy McKane at 508-996-3399.

• **Basketball League** – Evaluations for the Tri-Town Grades 7 and 8 Recreational Basketball League will be held on Thursday, **September 30**. Grade 7 Boys will take place 5:30 to 6:15 pm and Grade 8 Boys will take place 6:30 to 7:15 pm.

Grade 7 and 8 Girls will take place from 7:30 to 8:15 pm. Once teams are made, the league cannot accept new players. The league is always in need of volunteers to coach. Please email Gretchen MacDonald if you are interested: ddgmac@aol.com.

Marion COA News

The Marion Council on Aging (COA) announces the following September events:

• **Podiatry Clinic** – The next podiatry clinic will be held on **September 27** beginning at 1:00 pm. Appointments are needed.

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EDITOR'S PICK OF THE WEEK

Making a Difference

Locals Go Distance for Cancer

By Laura Pedulli

Three Mattapoisett and five Rochester residents are joining more than 8,000 walkers who will go the distance to support adult and pediatric cancer care on September 22. Specifically, locals Marc Anthony, Beverly Bernier, Susan Bliss, Rachel Hedlund, Suzana Lecuyer, Michelle Mendes, Michele Setterlund and Edmond Talbot will participate in the 22nd annual Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund walk, which benefits programs and research efforts at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.

The walkers will walk one of four routes: the entire 26.2-mile route, the Babson to Boston 13.1-mile route, the Boston College five-mile route, or the three-mile route with patients and their families at the Dana-Farber campus. A virtual walk option also is available for participants who cannot make the event so they can fundraise online.

"We are grateful to the thousands of determined walkers who are committed to raising funds for cancer care and research," said Ann Beach, director of the Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk. "The money raised by the walkers directly benefits local patients as well as people around the world as top doctors and researchers utilize the successes achieved at Dana-Farber." The Walk has raised more than \$66 million since its founding in 1989.

Ms. Bliss, a hospice social worker from Mattapoisett, witnesses firsthand the effect cancer has on families in her profession. She will complete the entire 26.2-mile walk with Team Mary on behalf of a seven-year old girl who suffers from liver cancer.

"I've worked with her for close to two years. This girl has gone through more chemotherapy and surgeries than you can imagine... She goes to school and runs around like any other girl, but she's sick," Ms. Bliss said. Approximately 22 people will participate in Team Mary, which already has raised \$22,000 of its \$25,000 goal. Ms. Bliss personally has raised \$1,100.

In the meantime, Ms. Bliss is exercising

frequently in preparation for the athletic challenge of walking a marathon. "We are going to talk the whole way. We'll try really hard to make it," she said. Mattapoisett resident Mr. Talbot, an accomplished athlete who has 20 marathons under his belt, also is planning to walk the entire marathon distance. He is walking in honor of his mother who died from cancer 32 years ago and for several friends and family who have been affected by cancer.

Entering into his second year of participation, Mr. Talbot said, "It is actually more difficult to walk it than run it." He said it took him seven hours and 45 minutes to complete the entire walk last year. Mr. Talbot said he would participate with his exercise group who regularly attends spinning, running and yoga classes together. He expects no problems physically, "other than blisters which are probably the most troublesome."

Mr. Talbot added: "Being along people who have survived is the real motivation." He said his team so far has raised \$4,000. "You really feel like you are doing something aside from just exercising itself."

Michelle Mendes of Rochester also will participate, but in the half-marathon course. A true veteran of the competition, she has participated in the event for the past 16 years. "I'm doing it in memory of a friend who died of leukemia... She was 17 years

old," she said.

"It's exciting because I get to see people I walk with once per year. It is nice to see people who support children. It is very supportive and warm," she said. She said that time flies with the help of good conversation. "You meet people along the way. It's a fun day," she added.

Walkers who finish the course are treated to a victory party at the Copley Square finish line with food and music to mark the occasion. More importantly, walkers who go the distance will experience pride in their contribution to an important cause.

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• **Farmer's Market Trip** – The Marion COA van will be traveling to the Westport Farmers Market on **September 11**. Please call the office to reserve your spot on the van: 508-748-3570.

Rochester Historical Society News

• **Waterman Reunion** – The Fourth Annual Waterman Reunion will be held on Saturday, **September 11**, at the Rochester Memorial School from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm. Lunch will be served at noon. Price is \$20 per person. Payment should be sent to the Rochester Historical Society, PO Box 171, Rochester, MA 02770. Please bring your memories, stories, and photos. For more information call 508-763-2724 or 508-763-8838.

• **Fine Arts Café** – The First Congregational Church on the Green at Rochester Center will host a Fine Arts Show and Café on Saturday, **September 25** from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. The show will feature original artwork by Frances Kut-Best, Vivian Lewis, Mary Pearsull and other local artists. The show includes photos by local photographers. Lunch, prepared by the Ladies Guild of the Church, will be available. For more information please contact Gary Lawrence at 774-553-5177.

• **Show and Tell Night** – The Rochester Historical Society September 15 meeting features a "Show and Tell Night". You are invited to gather up your old stuff, such as old letters, photos, personal items, household items or anything with a story. The meeting is on Wednesday,

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MOVIE REVIEW

Hurts So Good

By Rob Gonsalves
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Machete. Starring Danny Trejo and Jessica Alba.
Directed by Robert Rodriguez and Ethan Maniquis.
Running time: 105 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

I drove up to the theater with '80s hair metal blaring on my car stereo. It helped me get in the mood for *Machete*, an '80s throwback if there ever was one; instead of a fancy 20th Century-Fox logo celebrating the studio's 75 years, it should be preceded by the logo for Cannon Films or Vestron Video. If you're familiar with those two names, *Machete* may be for you. It emerges from co-director Robert Rodriguez' fake trailer from *Grindhouse*, the pulp diptych he created with Quentin Tarantino; apparently having run out of movies to remake, Hollywood is now making actual movies based on trailers for nonexistent movies. (*Hobo with a Shotgun*, based on another fake trailer that won a *Grindhouse* contest, is also coming soon to a plex near you.)

Rodriguez' half of *Grindhouse*, *Planet Terror*, reiterated the cheerfully derivative Austinite's devotion to John Carpenter flicks; *Machete*, though, is a much better Carpenter tribute, complete with a scowling anti-hero — Machete Cortez (Cortez the killer?), an ex-federale played by fanboy favorite Danny Trejo with a lifer's scowl and a tender spot for the ladies. Trejo, who turned 66 in May, has always looked older than his years; now he seems to have caught up, though he still looks harder than his co-star Robert De Niro, who's only a year older. De Niro, as a corrupt senator running on an anti-immigrant platform, is in his I'm-in-it-for-the-laughs mode; most of the other performers follow his lead.

So does Rodriguez (and his credited co-director Ethan Maniquis), who as usual wears a hundred hats: co-writer, co-editor, co-producer, and even co-composer (as guitarist for his band Chingon, who perform the excellent score; if you want to know why people download things illegally, you might want to ask why a *Machete*



soundtrack isn't commercially available — I'll have to content myself with Chingon's album *Mexican Spaghetti Western*.) *Machete* feels like a party; its hero may be driven by vengeful rage, but Rodriguez treats that as an opportunity to revel in unapologetic schlock. That's his strength as well as his weakness; he'll never make his *Schindler's List*, but he'll never make his *Amistad* either.

Everything in Rodriguez' universe is filtered through junk movies and comic books; he loves women, but he loves them more when they're scantily clad and packing heat. Michelle Rodriguez (no relation), as a liberator running a taco stand as cover, gets to ground her usual sullen demeanor in kindness, a strange mix that pays off; Lindsay Lohan shows up and gets to parody and exorcise her drugs 'n' daddy issues; Jessica Alba tries hard as an immigration officer who sees the light, but the role would've been better served by Salma Hayek (who, at 44, would've been more credible, and more fiery). Rodriguez also takes a page from his buddy Tarantino and hands out plum roles to guys who haven't been working much lately: Jeff Fahey (a standout), Don Johnson, even Steven Seagal, who manages to wrest smug comedy out of his drug-kingpin role. The movie is too loose and fun-loving to treat its political theme with any sting, much less any seriousness, but a lot of the old exploitation flicks (particularly blaxploitation) used to muster a passing nod to current events before getting to the good stuff. *Machete*, which stands foursquare against the bigots, is pretty damn fine Mexploitation; luckily, Rodriguez is on the right side of the border between preachy and entertainingly trashy.

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Athletic Scholarship Motorcycle Run

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Saturday, **September 18**, at Rick's Tavern on Route 6 in
Mattapoisett. Registration will take place at 10:00 with the
run to follow at 12:00 pm. The cost is \$15 per bike, \$5 per
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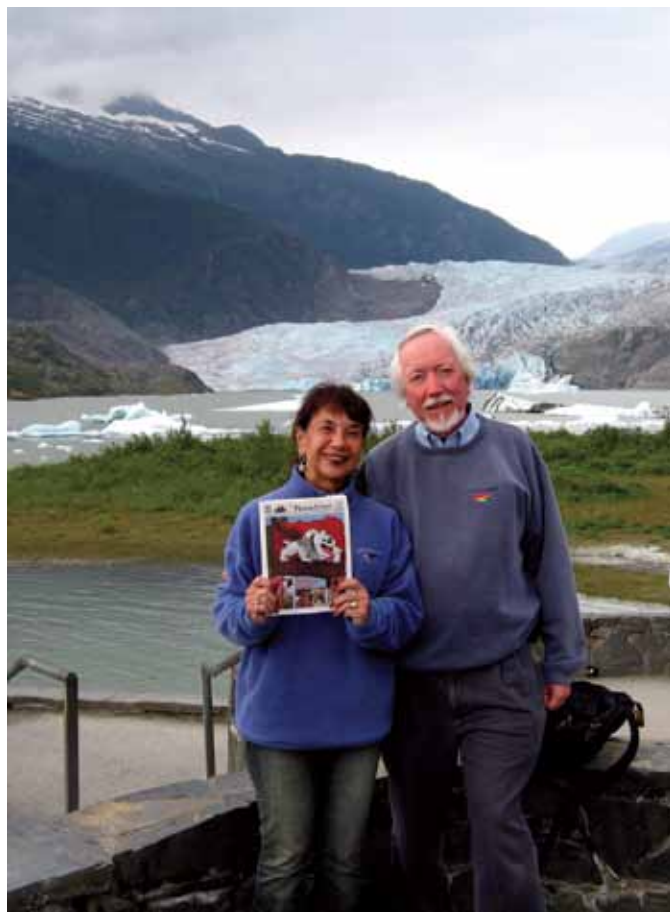
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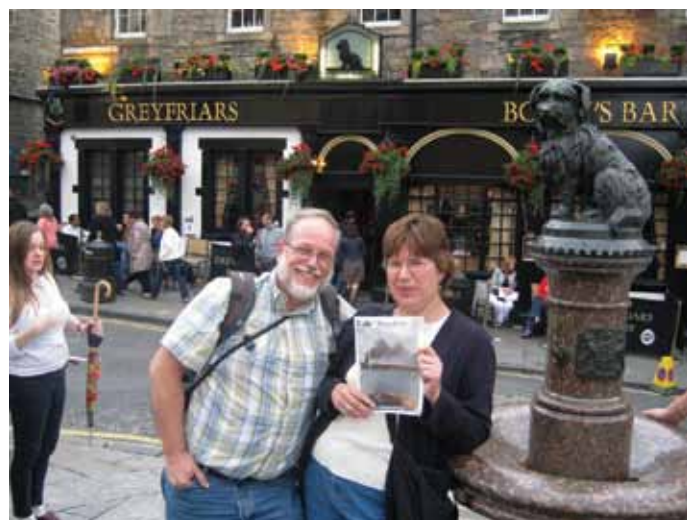
Sophie & Sascha Polonsky of Marion read The Wanderer whenever they visit Ben & Jerry's ice cream factory in Vermont!



Wandering Devyn Southern of Marion vacationing in California with his grandmother Susan Parker made a stop at the famous Casa De Fruta which is a very famous destination for tourists to visit for any kind of produce you can imagine.



Teresa and Mark Dall explored the Mendenhall Glacier in Juneau, Alaska this summer and brought The Wanderer along with them.



Rob Price and Rochester Library Director Gail Roberts remembered to bring The Wanderer with them on their recent trip to Edinburgh, Scotland. Photo by Michael Swanwick.

You can share your travel photos with our readers too. All you have to do is take along a copy of The Wanderer (or your favorite aardvark) and submit your photos by email to: support@wanderer.com or by mail to P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You can also drop photos off at our office at 55 County Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett. Everyone who submits a photo will get a special Wanderer Pathtag key chain. (one per photo/event).



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Sippican Women's Club Presents

The **September 10** meeting of the Sippican Women's Club will feature a Park Ranger from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, who will provide a virtual tour of the Cape Cod Canal. She will also focus on the Canal's impressive history and its vital function. It proves to be a very interesting presentation, especially to those who live and boat in our neighboring waters.

The Sippican Women's Club programs are held at Handy's Tavern, 152 Front Street, Marion on the second Friday of the month from September to March at 12:30 pm. Each program is preceded by a finger food luncheon, tea/coffee and a sweet followed by a business meeting and speaker/program. The Sippican Women's Club is open to all women who are residents of Marion or whose interests are in Marion. Please contact Jeanne Lake at 508-748-0619 for more information.

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TriTown Happenings



Above: The Mattapoisett Fire Department was well prepared for anything Hurricane Earl might offer. The firefighters were in good spirits while they waited for Earl to arrive early Friday evening. Fortunately, the tropical storm didn't give them much to do as it passed by the area uneventfully in the early morning hours. Photo by Felix Perez.

Right: Both Mattapoisett and Marion docks were busy spots last week when the National Weather Service issued a Hurricane Warning to the region. Plymouth county, in addition to Cape Cod, the Islands, and Bristol county, prepared for Hurricane Earl, a category 3 hurricane that stood the potential to make landfall in southeastern Massachusetts. Instead, Earl skirted just east of the region, hitting the Tri-Town with some rain. Photo by Anne O'Brien-Kakley



Marion artist Charles Parsons is hosting an Open House and Studio at his home at 24 South Street in Marion on Saturday, September 25 from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm and Sunday, September 26 from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm. These shows are open to the public, and donations will benefit Community Nurse and Hospice Care. Photo courtesy of Jennifer Fagan.



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Art Show Benefits Hospice Care

"Although I believe everyone appreciates the beauty of our world, the painter probably appreciates it more consciously. I try hard to communicate my feelings to others... and so I paint," says Charles Parsons, Marion resident and award winning artist. The nearby salt marshes, estuaries, small coastal villages, and boat yards are among his favorite subjects to paint. Most are done en plein air in watercolor, oil, and acrylic.

Mr. Parsons studied painting at the University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, Rhode Island School of Design, and received a Bachelor of Arts from Bucknell University and his doctorate, M.D., from Temple University. He holds memberships in many art societies

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MARION

Log highlights August 29-September 4

- Job's Cove Rd – Animal complaint
- High St – Medical emergency
- Wareham Rd – Motor vehicle complaint
- Dexter Rd – General offense
- Route 195 east – Medical emergency
- Julian Way – Officer wanted
- Dexter Rd – Arrest, A&B domestic
- Front St – Motor vehicle stop
- County Rd – Annoying phone calls
- Delano Rd – Gunshots reported
- Spring St – Burglar alarm
- Point Rd – MVA/injury
- Point Rd – Paper service
- Nokomis Rd – Medical emergency
- Converse Rd – Suspicious person
- Point Rd – Arrest/straight warrant
- Quelle Rd – Medical emergency
- Julian Rd – Suspicious activity
- Water St – Parking violation
- Mill St – Motor vehicle stop
- Point Rd – Health/welfare
- Creek Rd – General offense
- County Rd – Animal complaint
- Indian Cove Rd – Burglar alarm
- Spring St – Fire alarm
- Wareham Rd – General service
- Luce Ave – Motor vehicle stop
- Rose Cottage Ln – Animal complaint
- Vine St – Medical emergency
- Reed Rd – Motor vehicle stop

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights August 29-September 5

- Hilton Ave – Medical assist
- County Rd – Suspicious persons
- Water St – Parking complaint
- Barstow St – Ambulance request
- Brandt Island Rd – Burglar alarm
- Pearl St – Transport general
- County Rd – MV crash
- Winnatuxett Beach Rd – Fire, brush
- Lebaron Way – Disabled MV
- Hubbard's Way – Complaint
- Zena Ln – Complaint
- Homestead Ct – Disturbance
- Homestead Ct – 209A order issued
- Brant Beach Ave – Domestic disturbance
- North St – Ambulance request
- Industrial Dr – MV general
- Hemlock Dr – Carbon dioxide alarm
- Deer Run – Animal control
- Pine Island – Intoxicated person
- County Rd – MV crash
- Perry Ave – Vandalism
- Long Plain Rd – 209A service
- Beacon St – Disturbance
- Brandt Island Rd – A & B
- Wolf Island Rd – MV crash
- County Rd – Ambulance request
- Aucoot Rd – Animal control
- Hunters Ln – Alarm, burglar
- Brandt Island Rd – Fireworks complaint
- North St – MV violations

ROCHESTER

Log highlights August 29-September 4

- Walnut Plain Rd – Burglar alarm
- Neck Rd – Suspicious MV
- Stevens Rd – B & E motor vehicle
- New Bedford Rd – Traffic hazard
- Constitution Way – Assist citizen
- Bowens Ln – Fire, other
- Alley Rd – Domestic disturbance
- High St – Animal control
- New Bedford Rd – Lockout
- Gifford Ln – Trespass
- Cushman Rd – Suspicious person
- Marion Rd – Message delivery
- Braley Hill Rd – Erratic operation
- County Rd – General services
- Constitution Way – Illegal dumping
- Pine St – general services
- Hartley Rd – Parking violation
- Ryder Rd – Health/welfare
- North Ave – Radar assignment
- Pine St – Traffic control
- Mendel Rd – Domestic disturbance
- Earls Ct – Alarm, burglar
- Hartley Rd – Vandalism
- Pine St – Restraining order service
- Cranberry Hwy – Health/welfare check
- Braley Hill Rd – Suspicious MV
- New Bedford Rd - Vandalism
- Neck Rd – Motor vehicle stop
- Cushman Rd – Traffic hazard
- Alley Rd – Domestic disturbance



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

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Monday September 13: Vegetarian Chili, dirty rice, fruit muffin, pears
 Tuesday September 14: Vegetable soup, Teriyaki glazed chicken, Asian grain roll, fresh fruit
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 Thursday September 16: Veal parmesan, pasta & tomato sauce, Jardinere blend veg, vienna bread, smoothie, diet: pudding
 Friday September 17: Turkey Divan, buttered noodles, dinner roll, apple slices

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 Thursday September 16: Ham & cheese on a wheat wrap, lettuce, tomato, fresh fruit, choice of milk
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Monday September 13: Hot dog or chili dog, cole slaw, baked beans, peaches & corn
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and organizations. As a former orthopedic surgeon and hospice volunteer, Parsons has a place in his heart for local agency, Community Nurse and Hospice Care.

Mr. Parsons is hosting an Open House and Studio at his home at 24 South Street in Marion on Saturday, **September 25**, from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm and Sunday, **September 26**, from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm. These shows are open to the public, and donations will benefit Community Nurse and Hospice Care.

Has Cancer Struck Someone You Love?

The American Cancer Society Relay for Life is a life-changing event that gives everyone in communities

across the globe a chance to celebrate the lives of people who have battled cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease. People who take part in Relay also raise much-needed funds and awareness that help the American Cancer Society save lives and create a world with more birthdays – where cancer can never claim another year of anyone's life.

The American Cancer Society's Relay For Life of Tri-Town wrapped up the 2010 season on August 31. This year, Relay raised over \$69,000 to support cancer survivors, patient services, research and advocacy, thanks to those that supported this great event. The Relay for Life organizers are always in need of volunteers to organize and recruit teams, seek community support, coordinate

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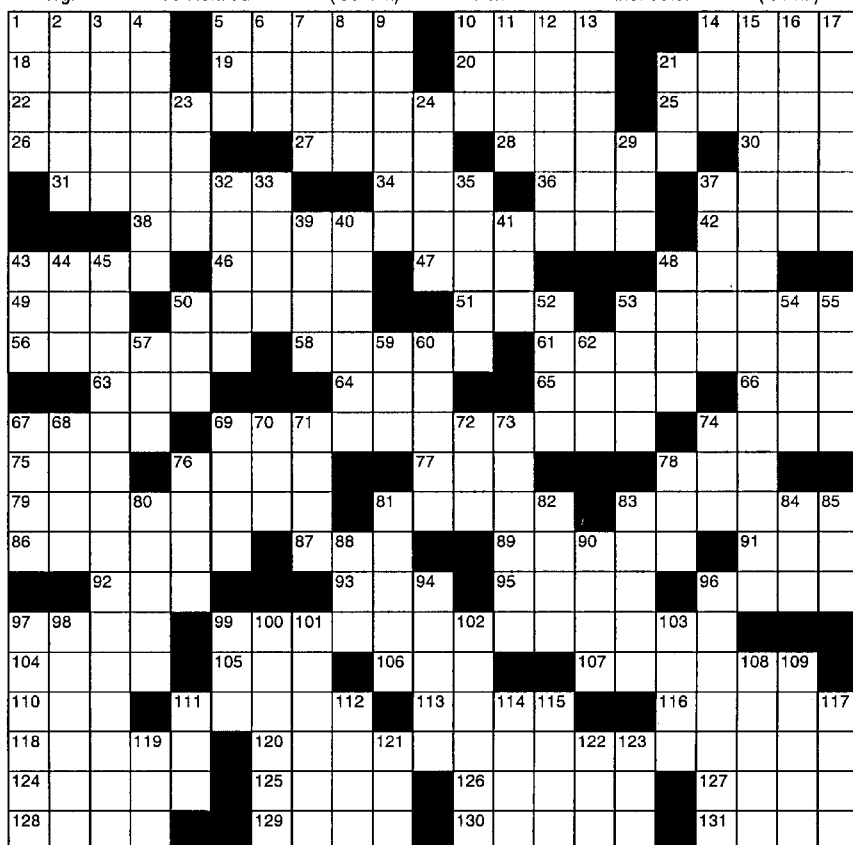
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111 Elfin
112 "That's a scream!"
114 Dame Hess
115 Orient
117 Competition
119 Silly Caesar
121 China's — Biao
122 Tippler
123 "— Day Now" ('62 hit)



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Cupid is strong in the Aries aspect this week, with the cherub opening romantic possibilities for single Lambs, and strengthening ties 'twixt loving pairs already in a caring relationship.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Your dramatic flair might make things more interesting as you recount an event to your colleagues. But be careful not to exaggerate reality to the point that facts and fancy combine to form fiction.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You love to talk, and this week you should get lots of chances to share your thoughts with people who will not only pay attention to what you have to say, but will want to hear more.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) The pattern of recent changes could begin to shift from mostly workplace-related events to more personal matters. Continue to keep an open mind as you prepare to deal with them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) An opportunity for work-related travel could be just what the Ter-rific Tabby needs to get a new perspective on a balky situation. The trip could also prove to be personally rewarding.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You might want to suggest resolving an old disagreement before it can affect a matter expected to come up for discussion. It's always best to start with a clean slate.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) The week favors combining dollops of creativity and practicality to work out both professional and personal problems. A longtime friend could have something of note to suggest.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Some surprising facts could come to light if you decide to probe deeper into an "opportunity" than you might usually do. What you'll learn could determine what you'll earn.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Someone close to you might seek your counsel. Hear him/her out, but hold the line at giving actual advice until you get credible answers to all your questions.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) What seems to be an overwhelming workplace project can be dealt with quite well if you handle one category at a time. Things will soon begin to fall into place.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A personal matter might need more of your time than you had expected. Try to prioritize between your many outside commitments and your domestic responsibilities.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A developing situation still needs more time to grow, and more time to study before you can plunge in and make some attention-getting waves. Patience is best for wise Pisceans.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a gift for organization that would make you a fine archivist. (Are you listening out there, Library of Congress?)

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logistics, find refreshments and prizes, plan entertainment and lend their support in any way. If you would like to learn more about Relay For Life of Tri-Town event please contact Tri-Chairpersons, Caryn Hodges Coulombe at 508-989-7805, Carol Lareau at 508-758-9229, or Heather Ruel at 508-758-8017.

Golf Tournament to Benefit Nativity

On Monday, **September 27**, the Nativity Preparatory School of New Bedford, an independent middle school for boys who come from low-income families in Greater New Bedford, will hold a golf tournament as a fundraiser in Mattapoisett. Co-chairs for the event include Charlotte and Larry Oliveira, Barbara Urquhart and John Kelleher. Auction Committee members include Karla Burke, Angela Fusco, Jennifer Kaiser, Alberta McLean, Martha Rooney and Sandra Sylvia.

The goal of Nativity is to provide a challenging, supportive, safe and structured learning environment for boys in grades 5-8. The school receives no state or federal funding and is supported by local individuals, companies, businesses and foundations. Many graduates receive academic scholarships to private high schools. For further information on the golf tournament or to visit Nativity, call Claire Carvalho at 508-994-3800.

Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House

• **Annual Meeting** – The Mattapoisett Historical Society annual meeting will take place on Sunday afternoon, **September 19**, at 2:00 pm at the Museum and Carriage House, 5 Church Street, in Mattapoisett. Members, as well as the public, are invited to attend this meeting. The agenda will include reports from the president and curator, the treasurer's report, an update on the status of the Clifford Ashley mural, election of persons



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LEGAL NOTICES	LEGAL NOTICES	LEGAL NOTICES
<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD & TREE WARDEN Notice of Public Hearing Under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15C Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15C, and Chapter 87, Section 3, the Mattapoisett Planning Board and the Mattapoisett Tree Warden will hold a joint public hearing during a Planning Board regular scheduled meeting, in the Conference room at Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts 7:00 PM. on September 20, 2010 on the request of Mark & Nancy Keighley, for a permit from the Tree Warden authorizing and consent of the Planning Board to cut and remove two "Norway Maple" Trees located at 66 North Street, a designated Scenic way in the Town. Planning Board 08/26, 09/02, 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF APPEALS Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following applications: Application of Simon & Lauren Kavanagh of 262 Chase Road, North Dighton, MA 02764 re property located at 8 Highland Avenue, Point Connett The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 3.1.2.2 and 3.1.2.3 of the Zoning By-Laws to demolish an existing dwelling and construct a new single-family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 2A, Lots 17 and 20 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:00 PM #1183 Application of Diane M. Normand & Rene P. Rock of 55 Long Plain Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at the corner of Shore View Avenue and Windward Way. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 6.2.2 and 6.5 of the Zoning By-Laws to construct a single-family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 12, Lot 31 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:15 PM #1184 Application of Diane M. Normand & Rene P. Rock of 55 Long Plain Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at the corner of Mattapoisett Neck Road and Wind Way. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 6.2.2 and 6.5 of the Zoning By-Laws to construct a single family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 12, Lot 30 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:30 PM #1185 Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours. Jeffrey R. Chase, Chairperson Susan Akin Paul Milott Mary Anne Brogan Norman Lyonnais 09/02, 09/09</p>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION & TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, September 21, 2010 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Notice of Intent filed by Michael Panagakos, P.O. Box 51327, New Bedford, MA 02745. The applicant proposes to eliminate a rip rap slope, create a landscaped 3:1 embankment, install a retaining wall, steps, lawn and patio area within the 100-foot Buffer Zone of a wetland resource area. Silt fencing will be installed prior to any activity and will be maintained throughout construction. The subject property is located at 36 Gerrish Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot #27 on Assessors' Map #43A. The property owner of record is Michael Panagakos. The applicant's representative is Steven D. Gioiosa of SITEC, Inc. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By- Law. Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at 4:45 p.m. in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by GAF Engineering pertaining to the property located at 20 Old Indian Path, further identified as Map 25, Lot 27. The following variances are requested: 310 CMR 15.405: 310 CMR Section 15.211 – Distances A reduction in the required setback from the soil absorption system to the southerly property line (10 feet required, 6 feet proposed) A reduction in the required setback from the pump chamber to the southerly property line (10 feet required, 5 feet proposed) A reduction in the required setback from the pump chamber to the crawlspace (10 feet required, 7 feet proposed) 310 CMR Section 15.212 – Depth to Groundwater A reduction in the separation from the soil absorption system to the groundwater table (4 feet required, 3 feet proposed) Local Regulations Section 4.60.2 A reduction in the required daily capacity of 400 gallons per day to 293 gallons per day. Elizabeth S. Dunn, R.N., Chairman 09/02, 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at 7:10 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability #41D-1432 submitted by HEATHER VRATTOS to construct a garage, extend a gravel driveway, and associated grading at 72 Water Street. The site is further identified as Lot 138A on Marion Assessors' Plan 16. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/09</p>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at 7:20 PM in the Marion Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738 on a Notice of Intent submitted by the BOATHOUSE NOMINEE TRUST, C/O CYNTHIA H. GRACE, TRUSTEE, to eradicate areas of phragmite growth at 131 Allens Point Road, shown as Lot 43A on Marion Assessors' Map 6. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a site inspection on Saturday, September 18, 2010 at 8:35 AM at the BAY WATCH REALTY TRUST Front Street property (shown as Lots 27, 28 and 29 on Marion Assessors' Map 24) to discuss wetland resource areas and delineations of the flagged Bordering Vegetated Wetlands at that site in regard to proposed site improvements. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at 7:00 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability #41D-1431 submitted by SUZANNE McMANMON to construct a garage, a deck, a porch and house additions, extend a gravel driveway, and associated grading at 64 Delano Road. The site is further identified as Lot 1 on Marion Assessors' Plan 2. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/09</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at 7:30 PM in the Marion Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738 on a Notice of Intent submitted by BAY WATCH REALTY TRUST to construct a 168-unit affordable housing complex under Chapter 40B with associated parking areas, on-site and off- site utility connections, stormwater management infrastructure and related mitigation measures. The project is located off Front Street (Route 105) and is shown as Lots 27, 28 and 29 on Marion Assessors' Map 24. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/09</p>

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to fill vacancies on the Board of Directors, and any other such business to come before the membership. Following the business meeting, refreshments and cake will be served.

• **Closed for the Season** – The Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House is now closed for the season. If you wish to exchange one of the Museum's incorrect calendars, please call 508-758-2844 and the Museum will arrange for an exchange.

In addition to the special summer exhibit are the museum's on-going exhibits of items from Mattapoisett's past. The Museum is located at 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett.

American Legion Post 280 News

The monthly meeting of the American Legion Florence Eastman Post 280 is held on the third Wednesday of each month at the post hall at 3 Depot Street at 7:00 pm. This month's meeting is scheduled for **September 15**.

All members are welcome to attend. The post has invited eleven newly arrived veterans who currently have their membership with other posts, to attend our September meeting in the hopes that they will consider a transfer to Post 280. The board is always looking for new ideas and input as to how we can better serve our fellow veterans and the Tri-Town communities.

The meeting will include a discussion of the March 6 Spaghetti Dinner, which will have to be moved to

a later date in March due to a scheduling conflict with the Brockton VA.

Information on the meetings, programs and hall rentals may be obtained by calling 508-758-9311.

Foliage and Friends

Come join the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Fall Foliage Tour on Saturday, **October 2**. Travel will be by luxury motor coach with onboard facilities and TV. The morning ride will traverse the Blackstone Valley on Route 146 along I-190 to the Mohawk Trail. Upon crossing the breathtaking French King Bridge, there will be a spectacular view of the North Quabbin Reservoir. Lunch will be served in the heart of Vermont at the Dorset

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LEGAL NOTICES	CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS	CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS
<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF APPEALS The Marion Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30PM on Thursday, September 30, 2010 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Scott S. & Patricia A. Scarpato for a Special Permit under section(s) 6.1.7 of the Zoning By-law to allow demolition and reconstruction of a non-conforming structure located within the existing non-conforming setbacks but with an increase in building volume and area as allowed under section(s) 6.1.7-Demolition, 7.2-General Requirements and 8.b-Non-conforming Use. The property is located at 11 Richardson Road at Planting Island, is further identified on Assessor Plan 3 as Lot 47. Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 09/09, 09/16</p> <hr/> <p>TRIVIA TEST By Fifi Rodriguez</p> <p>1. MEASUREMENTS: What period of years is described by the term "duodecennial"?</p> <p>2. TELEVISION: What is the name of Homer Simpson's dog?</p> <p>3. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is the scientific name of a turtle's shell?</p> <p>4. MYTHOLOGY: What was the name of the Greek goddess of vengeance?</p> <p>5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: In what country is the airline company Aer Lingus based?</p> <p>6. GEOGRAPHY: What is the largest island in the Caribbean?</p> <p>7. COMICS: What was the name of Superman's pet monkey?</p> <p>8. LEGAL: What is a codicil?</p> <p>9. MOVIES: What was the name of the main character (played by Mel Gibson) in "Braveheart"?</p> <p>10. LANGUAGE: What does the abbreviation P.S. stand for?</p> <p>Answers 1. 12 years 2. Santa's Little Helper 3. Carapace 4. Nemesis 5. Ireland 6. Cuba 7. Beppo 8. Addition to a will 9. William Wallace 10. Postscript</p> <p>(c) 2010 King Features Synd., Inc.</p>	<p>THE TOWN OF MARION, Massachusetts is accepting applications for a Highway Division Laborer. This is a full-time position. Please send resume to: Town of Marion DPW, PO Box 1050, Marion, MA 02738 or email rzora@marionma.gov. Resumes will be accepted until September 13, 2010.</p> <hr/> <p>Tractors for Sale 1940 Farmall A, very good condition \$3500 1950? Baird Beaver, rare, steering wheel style \$600. Call Bruce 508-758-7884</p> <hr/> <p>Two Men and a Dump Truck available for cleaning out yards, houses, barns, attics. Transfer station runs, etc. Hedge and Tree Trimming Call (508) 992-4021. Insured.</p> <hr/> <p>WANTED JUNK CARS & TRUCKS metals, etc...Cash paid. D.M. Auto 508-763-4185, cell 508-789-5389</p> <hr/> <p>WANTED TO BUY Old farm & garden tractors & attachments Louie 508-997-0423</p> <hr/> <p>WANTED TO RENT Single mother on a fixed income, looking to rent small 2 br or 1br with den house or apartment, in Marion, Mattapoisett or Rochester. Please call 508-993-3236 or 774-473-3750</p> <hr/> <p>Wareham Village Apartment for Rent. One bedroom, one bath, water views of Wareham River. Available year-round for \$850 per month. Please call 508.962-9310.</p> <hr/> <p>We're still picking! 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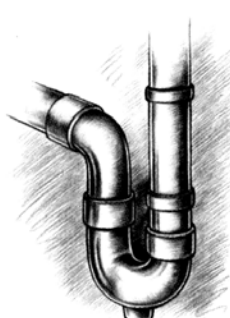
Harvest Moon Dance

The Wampanoag Council 15 Harvest Moon Dance will take place on Saturday, **September 18, 2010** at 7:00 pm in the Redman Hall, located on Main Street in Wareham. The dance, which is the annual fundraiser for the Wampanoag Council's scholarship, will include a BBQ chicken dinner, followed by entertainment and dancing. Cost is \$13 per person. For more information and to purchase tickets, call Darlene at 508-748-0132.

Mattapoisett Shuttle Bus

Starting Tuesday, September 7, the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority (SRTA) will be introducing a pilot program for the Mattapoisett/Acushnet/Fairhaven shuttle. The shuttle will connect to the Kmart/Shaw's parking lot, the WalMart parking lot, the Fairhaven Senior Center, the Mattapoisett Social and Wellness Center (COA) and the Mattapoisett Housing on Acushnet Road.

The bus leaves Fairhaven Commons at 9:20, 10:20, 11:20 am, 12:20, 1:20, 2:20 and 3:20 pm. Mattapoisett

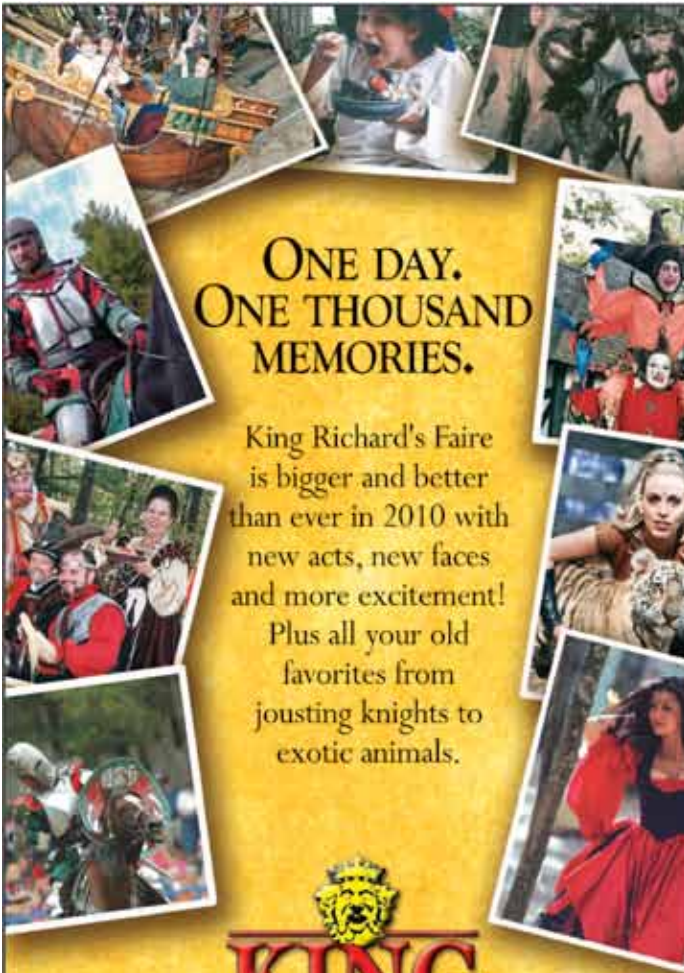


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Jay Cameron	September 12
Jennifer Hughes	September 13
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by Linda Thistle

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SCCC Seeks Choral Members

Sing with the SouthCoast Community Chorale for their fall 2010 season! Individuals interested in joining the group are invited to attend open enrollment rehearsals on **September 15 and 22** at 7:30 pm.

Throughout the fall season, the SouthCoast Community Chorale (SCCC) will be preparing for two concerts. On **December 12**, the group will be performing a Christmas POPS concert with the Fall River Symphony Orchestra. On **December 19**, the chorale will present their annual Christmas Concert, featuring selections from Handel's Messiah, as well as other holiday favorites.

The group rehearses on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 pm at the United Parish Church, located

at 745 Wilson Road in Fall River.

The SCCC is a choral group based out of Fall River, Massachusetts. Under the direction of Frank Wilhelm, the group presents two major programs a year: a holiday concert in December and a spring concert in May. Other performance opportunities and special events may arise throughout the year as well. The SCCC performs a variety of music, ranging from classical pieces to patriotic songs to show tunes to contemporary works.

No auditions are necessary. SCCC is looking for all voice parts: basses and tenors, especially. The SCCC is looking for people who love to sing, can match pitch and blend with other singers. Members attend Wednesday night rehearsals and pay a small fee for membership



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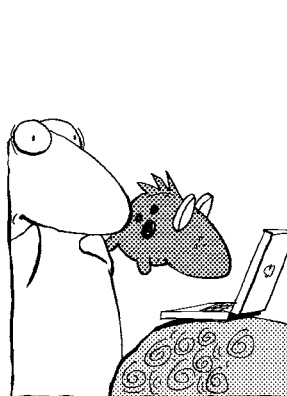
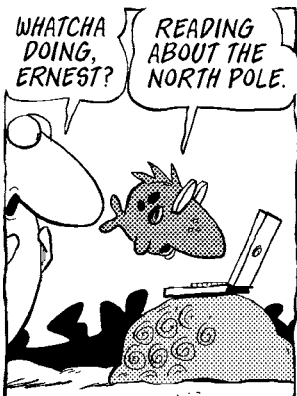
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The gray book donation container, distinguished by its purple and yellow 'Got Books?' signs, is located in the parking lot of the parish at 26 Hammond Street. This program is an ongoing fundraiser and the public can make donations at any time. All funds raised through the collection of these donations will benefit the general funding of the parish.

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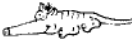
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September 9:	Thurs.	9:05	8:38	1:43	2:02
September 10:	Fri.	9:56	10:18	3:09	3:46
September 11:	Sat.	10:46	11:09	3:50	4:34
September 12:	Sun.	11:39	...	4:32	5:24
September 13:	Mon.	12:02	12:35	5:15	6:19
September 14:	Tues.	12:58	1:32	6:01	7:47
September 15:	Wed.	1:55	2:33	6:58	9:41
September 16:	Thurs.	2:56	3:37	8:19	10:41
September 17:	Fri.	4:00	4:41	10:15	11:23
September 18:	Sat.	5:03	5:39	11:09	11:51
September 19:	Sun.	5:57	6:28	11:48	...
September 20:	Mon.	6:43	7:08	12:15	12:25
September 21:	Tues.	7:22	7:44	12:41	1:02
September 22:	Wed.	7:57	8:17	1:12	1:39
September 23:	Thurs.	8:30	8:50	1:45	2:17
September 24:	Fri.	9:02	9:23	2:19	2:54
September 25:	Sat.	9:35	9:59	2:52	3:29
September 26:	Sun.	10:11	10:38	3:25	4:04

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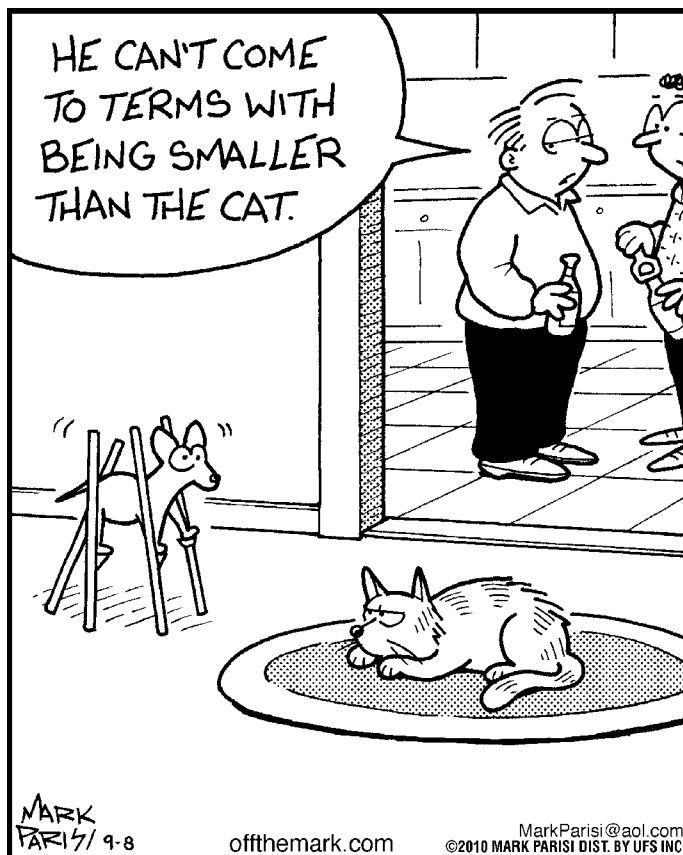
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